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## LAWRENCE STRIKE IS NEAR TO FINISH

Mayor of City Sees President of Wool Trust and Urges Advanced Wage; Strikers Overjoyed

## SECOND DYNAMITE PLANT?

Strike Leaders Claim Explosive in Cars Is Plant; Police Make Fewer Arrests

LAWRENCE, Mass., Feb. 29.—That the dynamite, reported from Philadelphia as found under cars in a train of goods made by the American Woolen company, was "merely another plant," was the statement today of strike leaders here. They suggested the probability was that, if the dynamite actually was found, local detectives hid it in the cars because they "had to get rid of it."

## See Strike End

The strike leaders were jubilant today. They had learned that, after eight weeks of idleness they seemed about to gain everything for which they have been fighting. The activity of the federal authorities they

## Howells Aroused

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Dean of American authors and great lover of children, William D. Howells today feels deeply the indignities which he says were heaped upon the innocent children of the strikers at Lawrence, Mass. On the eve of his 75th birthday anniversary, he today expressed his views on the situation to the United Press as follows: "It is an outrage. Could anyone think it anything else? I cannot think of any more outrageous thing that could have been done at Lawrence than for the police to prevent these innocent sufferers in the strike from being sent to places where they could be properly cared for while their parents fought the battle for better working and living conditions. "I can see no possible excuse for such treatment of either parents or children as that reported from Lawrence."

say, was responsible for Mayor Scanton's visit to President Wood of the Wool trust in Boston yesterday at which he suggested that the mill owners restore the old schedule and grant an advance to all employees receiving less than eight dollars a week.

Statistics compiled today show conclusively the changed attitude of the police and military since the federal investigators arrived. Saturday there were forty arrests; Monday 20; Tuesday, 42, charged with picketing, obstructing the sidewalk, and violation of city ordinances. Yesterday, the federal investigators in town, there were two arrests and early today none. The pickets have been much more in evidence yesterday than at any time since the strike started.

Less than fifty per cent of the operatives were at work today and the vast majority were the skilled workers who have taken no part in the strike. Less than half on one per cent of the unskilled employees are working.

## Neill on Scene

Reports from Washington indicate that the department of Commerce and Labor is placing great faith in the ability of Commissioner of Labor Charles P. Neill, who was sent here yesterday with instructions to "do something." He is working in conjunction with the federal experts of the departments of justice and labor who have been in Lawrence for the last few days. Neill has a record of success in settling big labor disputes, and it is thought he will bring the local situation to an agreement.

Preparations are being made by the strike leaders here to send the men, women and children of the striking families to Washington tomorrow to appear before the rules committee of the house in support of the Berger resolution for a probe of the strike.

It was semi-officially stated today that President Wood of the American Woolen company had notified his associates at the Arkwright club in Boston that the strike here must be settled. It was expected that a compromise agreement would shortly be made by the mill owners and a determined effort made to settle the strike.

## YOUNG GIRL IMPRISONED

OMAHA, Feb. 29.—Ryllis Kenzie of Sheldon, Iowa, a young girl, is in a critical condition at the Millard hotel as a result of being beaten and assaulted by two men whom she accused of keeping her in a room for over a week. Police Surgeon Harris says the girl's condition is most critical, as peritonitis has set in and an operation will have to be performed to save her life. One man is under arrest and a second is being sought.

## Beauty Lotion Too Strong; Kills Woman

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—A chemical examination is being made today of the "beauty lotion," which, applied recently to the face of Mrs. Laura Williams, a widow recently arrived here from Texas, caused her death. The police were also searching for the "beauty doctor" who had promised Mrs. Williams that she would be made as beautiful as when she was a young girl and who applied the medicine that caused death.

Mrs. Williams, who lived with her son and daughter in the Bronx, had her first treatment last Monday. Her face was left raw and bleeding. Yesterday the doctor returned explained that everything was doing nicely and applied a second treatment. The "doctor" had about finished when Mrs. Williams collapsed and half an hour later died. Meanwhile the "doctor" had disappeared. The coroner believes that a powerful astringent poison was used and has ordered an autopsy.

## ASSOCIATION TO EXTEND ITS WORK

Fish and Game Protective Society to Enroll Members in Other Counties

## MUCH INTEREST IS AROUSED

Will Publish Stories of Local Students on Song Birds; Publicity Campaign

The activities of the newly organized Fish and Game Protective association will not be confined to La Crosse county. Attempts will be made to interest sportsmen and others interested in bird and animal life on the Minnesota side of the Mississippi river and in the counties bordering on the river near to La Crosse county. This was the decision of the executive committee at its first meeting last night.

According to the plans of the committee, persons living on the Minnesota side of the river will be allowed and urged to become members of the association. Several of the best known supporters of the movement which resulted in the formation of the society in La Crosse county have expressed their willingness to carry the campaign into other communities and are convinced that they can awake the same interest there that has become evident here.

The formation of the association for the protection of game and fish has aroused more than passing comment in the counties south of here according to several persons who have recently had occasion to visit down river towns recently and all that is needed to extend the association is leadership. The committee intends in the near future to send workers into these towns to enroll the sportsmen either in this association or in one that will be formed in those counties.

"We intend to use every means in our power to protect the game and fish and song birds, that are left in this vicinity," said Dr. A. T. Rasmussen, president of the association, today. "We hope, in time, to become strong enough to get some much needed legislation along that line. We have plans now through which we hope to put a stop to most of the illegal fishing and hunting that is going on. There is one thing especially that will receive our attention and that is the spring shooting of ducks. There is a law both in Minnesota and Wisconsin against this but we hope to have it extended to the states of Illinois and Iowa. We are sure that if the matter is brought to the attention of the public, such laws will also be enacted in the down river states.

Publicity Campaign  
"We intend to start a publicity campaign on song birds and have already received the assurances of several of the local students of bird life that they will write a series of interesting articles on the birds of this section of the country, which will appear from time to time in the newspapers. I have no doubt that the articles will do much toward awakening interest in our feathered friends."

The committee is now at work on the constitution and bylaws of the organization. It is probable that they will be completed by the next meeting of the committee next Wednesday evening.

A press committee consisting of Harry Watkins, Irving Tuteur and Harry Robertson was appointed at the meeting last night.

## MADERO SENDS FOR AIDE

ROME, Feb. 29.—Summoned by President Madero, Colonel Beppino Garibaldi sailed for Mexico today to take command of the federal army in an effort to suppress the Vasquez revolt. Garibaldi was one of Madero's chief lieutenants in the rebellion against the Diaz government.

## DEMANDS CHANGE IN PEACE PACTS

Senator Lodge Declares that Treaties in Present Form Imperil Monroe Doctrine and Canal

## IS AGAINST JOINT MISSION

Asks that the Senate Be Given Power to Decide What Questions Shall Be Arbitrated

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Not only the Monroe doctrine, but America's title to the Panama canal might be jeopardized if the British and French arbitration treaties were ratified in their present form, according to a sensational speech in the senate today by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts.

"We are entirely in the dark," said Lodge, "as to the meaning which The Hague court, or a special commission of inquiry might give to the word 'justiciable' or to the words 'law and equity.'"

Against Commission  
Lodge contended that the provision creating the high joint commission with its supreme authority should be stricken from the treaties or that it be made clear in the resolution of ratification that no question should be submitted to arbitration without the consent of the senate.

"Suppose, for example, some eastern power should directly or indirectly take possession of a harbor on the west coast of Mexico for making it a naval station and a place of arms," he said. "I am using no imagination in suggestion of such a case. It is not very long since an indirect movement was begun, and it is apparently still on foot, to obtain possession for a foreign power of Magdalena bay, so I may fairly suppose that such a case might arise."

Lodge referred, of course, to Japan. He said that if such an attempt were made the United States would protest that it was a violation of the Monroe doctrine.

"What chance," he asked, "do you think the Monroe doctrine would have before a committee of persons not Americans? The Monroe doctrine is not international law. It is policy of the United States declared as essential to its safety, and the strength of the doctrine is exactly that of the power of the United States and its navy. Do you think the American people would arbitrate it? I do not and I do not think it ought to be arbitrated."

Other questions that would not be arbitrated, Lodge declared, would be the attempted purchase by a foreign power of the Galapagos islands, owned by Ecuador, which lie near the western mouth of the Panama canal; or of the island of Curacao, owned by Holland, near the eastern end of the canal.

"Take the question of immigration—Chinese or, if you prefer, Asia," said Lodge. "I do not believe the American people will ever permit such a question to be arbitrated."

Lodge then cited the Panama canal tolls as something that could not be arbitrated.

Panama Canal  
"Our title to our own canal," he said, "might be called in question. Three successive secretaries of state have refused, and properly refused, to submit our title to arbitration, and now under clause 3 of article 3, as I interpret it, we might be forced to submit that title to The Hague court or some outside tribunal. The men who rejected the Hay-Herran treaty because they hoped to extort more than \$10,000,000 from us for their own use are even now struggling, through assistants in this country who mean to share the spoil, to secure by arbitration what they failed to obtain by blackmail and could not seize by violence."

"Our title to the canal or to our territory anywhere is not to be dragged before any tribunal for examination and determination and nothing should be subscribed to by us which by any twisting could be construed into a promise that we would submit such a question to any judgment but our own."

## LEFT AT CHURCH

WINDSOR, Eng., Feb. 29.—Gabrielle Ray, the noted English stage beauty, left Eric Loder, to whom she was to have been married in the Catholic church here today, "waiting at the church," in stern reality. Loder sat in an ante room while the choir remained in readiness and the priest, robed in his vestments, waited impatiently at the altar room for the bride. She failed either to appear or to send word.

## CHINESE SOLDIERS MUTINY

HANKOW, China, Feb. 29.—Serious fighting took place at Wu Chang today as a result of the mutiny of a part of the republican garrison there. Many were killed and wounded on both sides, but details are withheld. The cause of the trouble is believed to have been friction over withholding the pay of the soldiers. The trouble so far has been confined to Wu Chang but the foreign gunboats have been instructed to be in readiness to protect foreigners if needed.

## Jersey Law Causes Sorrow In Chorus

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—There were lugubrious countenances on view among the Mazies and the Molliques of the chorus today. For no more will there be "over-the-ridge" elopements with a marriage ceremony as dessert for the midnight supper of lobster and cold wine—or sometimes beer. The dismal news was widely circulated today that no longer can the festive Jersey justice of the peace perform a wedding ceremony. Incidentally the Hoboken, Jersey City, and Bayonne hackmen who in the past acted as runners for the justices, will have to go to work. Governor Wilson last night signed the bill prohibiting justices performing marriage ceremonies.

## MILLION MINERS ON STRIKE TODAY

English Coal Workers Out; Mines All Tied Up; Neither Side to Give Up; Troops Ready

## GOVERNMENT TO INTERVENE

Parliament Will Probably Set Minimum Wage Scale and Force Operators to Agree

LONDON, Feb. 29.—Compulsory legislation by parliament is now the last hope of the officials to settle the big coal miners' strike which, up to late this afternoon, had affected more than 900,000 men and was expected to involve more than a million by midnight.

The tie-up of the mines throughout the country is complete. Many of the men quit ahead of time and those who remained at work did so only until their notice to their employers of intention to quit, compulsory under the law, became effective.

Today's meetings of the strike committee and the employers proved futile. Each side stood stubbornly by its original position, the representatives of the men explaining they had no choice, that the rank and file insisted on a minimum wage scale and had voted to strike to enforce it.

Meanwhile the garrisons in every army fort and post in the country are in readiness for instant use. Troops, however, will not be called out unless absolutely necessary. So far the temper of the men is excellent. Their leaders have urged them to remain quietly at home.

The special cabinet council adjourned without action. Premier Asquith explained that parliament would have to act to establish a minimum wage scale and a further conference will be held tonight to decide how this can be done.

Riots Probable  
The strike situation tonight was most serious. Industries have not a large store of fuel on hand and may have to close down, adding their thousands to the many already idle. This may cause rioting, as the majority of the industrial workers have little money to buy food when their wage-earning ability is interrupted.

## FREEZES NEAR HOME

VIRGINIA CITY, Mont., Feb. 29.—The body of John Peterson, 23 years old, a miner at the Kearsarge, was found yesterday in the snow within 300 yards of his house at Summit, where he had perished after struggling through the deep snow for about four miles to return to his wife and two children. Peterson had walked to Virginia City, 8 miles distant, Tuesday, and the following day started afoot to return.

## TRIAL MUST CONTINUE

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 29.—That the government's case against the bath tub trust will be fought to the bitter end, was made certain today following the action of Judge Angell in denying the plea of the defendants that prosecution be dropped for lack of evidence. The final issue will now go to the jury.

## CLASS DISTINCTION CAUSES STUDENT WAR

FORT SMITH, Ark., Feb. 29.—Three hundred striking students of the University of Arkansas parade the streets of Fayetteville last night and attended a dance in defiance of rules, to signify their displeasure at the faculty's action in suspending thirty-six students, held responsible for an anonymous publication charging the faculty with discriminating in favor of rich pupils. The strikers said they would not return to the institution until their fellow students were reinstated. The faculty appointed a grievance committee to confer with the students.

## NEED FUNDS FOR SUFFRAGE WORK

Mrs. Carrie P. Daniels Appeals to Local Women to Aid the Movement Here

## WOMAN NO LONGER CHATTEL

But Work of Emancipation Is Not Finished and Women Should Take Part

The equal suffragists in their first campaign, find, as the men have always found, great difficulty in raising funds to carry on the work—hiring speakers, correspondence and a hundred other things. They labor under the double disadvantage of being obliged to convince a part of the women as well as the men of the desirability of the ballot. Men carry on their campaigns by voluntary contributions and women must do the same, although they will try their best to raise money in other ways such as suppers, fairs and entertainments of various kinds which men will not do. Then, to whom shall they apply for help? Why, to everybody, of course, including corporations even though they are said to have no souls. They may try the women of wealth, but these women may feel that they have all the rights they need; however, they should remember that there was a time when married women could not hold and enjoy their own property. Their husbands could take and use their personal property so soon as he could reduce it to possession, and the husband was entitled to hold all his wife's lands and tenements as tenant by the courtesy initiate, and to have and use all the income, rents and profits thereof for himself; and his wife could not say him nay. The wife was a mere chattel in her husband's household and entirely dependent upon him for all her personal needs. By the agitation of brave and noble women this is all changed now. Women control their own property, are permitted to engage in trade, business enterprises free from the control or interference of their husbands, and are entitled to their own earnings, except when they work for their husbands. Women should be mindful of what advantages have come to them by the onward march of progress brought about by such agitation and contribute freely of their means to push the good work along until the end of full citizenship shall be secured.

This appeal is also made to that large class of women who are now holding good positions with adequate salaries made possible by the past generation of women who lectured, petitioned the legislature, worked up sympathy among men, until they actually worried, shamed and convinced the legislators that it would be for the advantage of everybody to have the change above mentioned made, and to have the schools and colleges open to women as well as the avenues of trade. Without these facilities, these same high grade workers would be toiling in factories or domestic service, for very little else was open to them. This class should not feel that all has been done—new needs arise every day that call for votes of women.

Today women, both married and single, are taxed to the limit on all the property they own without one word to say how those taxes are to be spent. This reason alone should make suffragists of all women who own property.

Women's influence is good but slow in its effect. They need the ballot to enforce it. Jane Addams found that out in her settlement work in Chicago. To illustrate: A mayor and members of his council with others were sitting in his office, so the story goes, when a number of women were seen approaching the sacred precinct. The mayor jumped to his feet saying, "H—ll there's a lot of women coming, let me out of this." So while the women came in the front the mayor skipped out the back way. An understrapper informed them that His Honor was out and sent them away with not much ceremony. The moral of this story is this: If those women had the ballot, those officials would have listened respectfully knowing that they might lose their official heads if they did not.

The suffragists also appeal to the not rich, but those in comfortable homes of their own in much the same terms. Remember the privileges that await your children that they could not have had and help along the good work by liberal contributions, if you cannot do outside work. The suffragists desire no woman to neglect her home. For God's patient poor the suffragists promise to get all the protection that can be secured. Your votes will count in the final analysis. Cast them for equal suffrage. Last, but not least, the men are to be asked to help on the work, for there are many friends among them, and the suffragists hope to make many more in the coming months. Has any legislation put through in the past by the influence of women, for the benefit of women, been detrimental?

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## Various Reasons For Phones At State Expense

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Private telephones for Washington officials at government expense will probably be eliminated in the current appropriation bill. The house appropriations committee today discovered 107 such private lines. Judges of the court of claims said they needed them "because they have no private secretaries."

The superintendent of the Zoo needed one "because animals arrive in the city late at night." The tariff board needed them "because they have so much night work to do."

The captain of the watch of the treasury department has a private wire. "I suppose," said Chairman Fitzgerald, of the committee, "he sits at home in slippers and when burglars break into the treasury they call him up and tip him off."

## CORPORATION IS UNDER NEW LAW

Included in Section of Income Tax Measure Relating to Personal Property

## CANNON MAKES A RULING

Says Exemption Made for "Persons" Applies to Corporations, Firms and Companies

Officers of La Crosse corporations were much concerned today over a question raised as to whether personal taxes paid by corporations are, under the new income tax law, to be recognized as an offset against the income tax of corporations having so paid.

Section 1087m—26 of the law provides as follows: "Any person who shall have paid a tax upon his personal property during any year shall be permitted to present the receipt therefor to, and have the same accepted by, the tax collector to its full amount in the payment of taxes due upon the income of such person during said year. Any BANK which has paid its taxes during any year upon its shares assessed to the individual stockholders thereof shall be entitled under the provisions of this section, to present the receipt therefor, and have the same accepted by the tax collector to its full amount in the payment of taxes due upon the income of such bank during said year."

With "persons" and "banks" thus authorized to turn in their personal property tax receipts as offsets to their income taxes, and with no specific provision in the law authorizing corporations to do the same thing, it looked, on the face of the measure, as if the statute meant that corporations must pay their full income tax in addition to their full personal property tax. To many local corporations this item would have been one of great importance, particularly to such concerns as the La Crosse Gas & Electric company, whose personal property tax is a heavy one.

However, a ruling by the state tax commission, interprets the law to make exactly the same exemptions for corporations as it makes for individuals and banks. Mr. K. K. Cannon of the commission informed The Tribune over long distance telephone at noon today that section 1087m—26 applies to all corporations, explaining this by reference to section 1087—2, which provides that the term "person" as used in the act "shall mean and include any individual, firm, co-partnership, and every corporation, joint stock company or association organized for profit, and have a capital stock represented by shares, unless otherwise expressly stated."

Local corporations this morning received from the state tax commission blanks upon which to list their incomes and those expenses which constitute exemption, together with a letter of instructions and other data. These statements must be acknowledged before a notary public.

## SNEAD JURY DISMISSED

FORT WORTH, Texas, Feb. 29.—After having been out for 112 hours, the Snead jury was dismissed by Judge Swayne today. The jury had stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction since retiring Saturday and daily had reported there was no hope of an agreement. J. B. Snead shot and killed A. G. Boyce here January 13. A new trial will be ordered.

## ILL, SHE POISONS SELF

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 29.—Ill with typhoid fever for eight weeks Myrtle Frost, aged 21, of 514 Twenty-ninth street, in a fit of despondency swallowed bichloride of mercury, in her home today, and died instantly.

## TO FIND CAUSE OF SWIFT'S DEATH

Mysterious Circumstances of Death of Packer's Son Are to Be Probed by the Authorities

## HAS A BIG GASH IN HIS HEAD

Was Big Cut on Head, but Coroner's Jury Said He Died from Heart Failure

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—A thorough investigation into the mysterious circumstances surrounding the death of Herbert L. Swift, millionaire son of the late G. F. Swift, founder of the packing house of that name, was requested today in a letter received by Coroner Peter Hoffman from Coroner Nahin of Milwaukee. Swift is supposed to have died on a Northwestern train October 11, 1911, while enroute to his Wisconsin hunting lodge. His body was taken from the train at Milwaukee. There was a deep gash over one eye. A Milwaukee coroner's jury returned a verdict that death was due to heart disease. The presence of Swift's wound was unexplained.

To Reopen Case  
In his letter the Milwaukee official declares that rumors have been brought to him which he deems sufficient grounds for a reopening of the matter and the instituting of a thorough investigation. Shortly after receipt of this letter, Coroner Hoffman left his office. His chief deputy, in the absence of the coroner stated that in view of the request by an official of a neighboring state, he presumed the case would be investigated.

Rumors in circulation in Chicago today are that Swift received an injury in this city and that he was hurried aboard a train in a dying condition by companions.

Hurt in Chicago  
Coroner Nahin, at Milwaukee, today said that although a verdict had been rendered by a jury summoned by him, that Swift had died of natural causes, he had requested the reopening of the case at Chicago because reports were that Swift received the injuries which led to his death in this city.

Swift was president of the Sterling Lumber company and was interested in many other business enterprises at the time of his death.

"Rumors have reached me indicating that Swift was put on a train in Chicago either dead or dying and his body taken out of the city for unknown reasons," said Coroner Nahin of Milwaukee today. "Although I had no guarantee of the authenticity of these rumors," the official asserted, "it was on these reports that I communicated with Coroner Hoffman of Chicago and requested a thorough investigation. On the findings by Coroner Hoffman will depend whether or not Swift's body will be exhumed."

Swift had evidently been dead for some time when the body was taken in charge by the Milwaukee authorities, the coroner asserted. There was no evidence of foul play.

## CAN'T COPYRIGHT TITLE

BOSTON, Mass., Feb. 29.—There is no patent or copyright possible on the superlative "greatest" or the word "champion" as applied in the case of orator, swimmer, actor, etc. If you want to advertise yourself as "the greatest whatever-you-want-to," it's all right. You can't be stopped by the courts. This was the ruling of Judge Hardy today when Rose Pitnoff, who was first to swim to Boston Light, sought to enjoin Elsie Akroyd, who duplicated the feat later, from calling herself in advertising herself, as the greatest or champion woman swimmer.

## WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Fair and continued cold tonight and Friday; zero temperature tonight. For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Friday; somewhat colder east portion tonight. For Minnesota: Fair tonight and Friday; colder southeast portion tonight. For Iowa: Fair and continued cold tonight and Friday.

Weather Conditions  
It is raining this morning at Galveston and snowing at Memphis and Louisville; elsewhere the weather is fair. It is generally clear throughout the interior of the country and cloudy along the Gulf and Atlantic coasts and lake region. The temperature has fallen generally throughout the Mississippi valley, plains states and Rocky mountain region and is below zero throughout the northwest. The lowest temperature reported this morning was 25 degrees below zero at Minnedosa.

The pressure is moderately low in the extreme northeast and in the southwest and high elsewhere with the center of high pressure over the plains states. This high will continue to dominate the conditions in this section tonight and Friday and fair and continued cold weather will result. The temperature will drop to zero or slightly below tonight.



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AT THE

### The LaGrange Trio

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SINGING and DANCING  
Character Change Artists

### COMEDY JUGGLER JOHN ZIMMER

Who is a Comedian

# MAJESTIC

TODAY, TOMORROW AND SATURDAY

### COMEDIAN DON BARCLAY

"The Original Boob"

### MRS. J. W. WEIGEL CALLED BY DEATH

Resident of La Crosse for  
Forty Years; Active  
in Affairs of  
Church

Mrs. Joseph W. Weigel, Sr., a resident of La Crosse for forty years, died at her home, 1419 South Sixth street at 5 a. m. today of a complication of diseases after an illness of two years. Born in Algersdorf, Austria, April 3, 1853, Mrs. Weigel, whose maiden name was Wilhelmina Binert, came to La Crosse in 1872 and was married to Mr. Weigel the same year. She made La Crosse her home until the time of her death.

Active in the affairs of the Catholic church, Mrs. Weigel, leaves many friends who will miss her cheerful help in the work of the church and church societies. She was an active member of St. Ann's society of the Holy Trinity Catholic church, the Ladies of the Governor's Guard and the Casberg Auxiliary of the Spanish War Veterans.

She is survived by her husband, and four sons, Charles J., Louis W., William A., of La Crosse and Albion F., of Minneapolis.

The funeral will be held from the home at 8:30 Saturday morning and from the Holy Trinity Catholic church at 9 o'clock. Father Reisterer will be in charge of the services. The burial will take place at the Catholic cemetery. Undertakers Fessler and Dahl are in charge.

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### MORALITY OF THE ELEPHANT

He Makes a Cat's Paw of Boy's Hand to Steal the Unhusked Rice.

Singular as it may seem, elephants which have associated with men entertain the notion that, under special circumstances, they are not responsible if they utilize another to commit an illegal act. The following is an instance of this elephantine morality:

A man in Rangoon bought three young elephants to send to England. They were tame and playful, but cunning. Knowing that it was wrong to steal paddy (unhusked rice)—the idea had doubtless been impressed upon them by punishment for stealing—they would not touch it themselves. But if a boy went to see them, he would be seized by one, the little trunk would be coiled around his arm and he would be led to where the paddy was kept in bags.

The elephant would make a cat's paw of the boy's hand to take up a handful of paddy. Then, letting go he would turn up the end of his trunk open it, and coaxingly invite the boy to drop in the paddy.

Should the boy, however, put it back in the bag, his arm would again be seized by the trunk, and his hand would be again inserted into the paddy bag.

The boy, anxious to be released, would usually drop the paddy into the trunk, and the elephant would blow the rice into his mouth. After repeating the operation several times the elephant would scamper off, feeling that he had got the paddy without stealing it.—Harper's Weekly.

Going Over the Books.  
"This item in your campaign expense account mystifies me," said the auditor. "I don't understand what you mean by 'raw material.'" "That's an error on the part of the stenographer," replied Senator Sorghum. "It should read, 'hurrah material!'"

### "Y" GIRLS DEFEAT THE AGGIE TEAM

Contest at the Y. W. C. A. Gymnasium Results in a Victory for Locals by Score of 13 to 1

The girls' basketball team of the Onalaska Agricultural college was defeated by the Y. W. C. A. team in a closely contested game at the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium last night. The score was 13 to 1. Miss Ada Smith, forward for the Y. W. team, was the star performer in the contest, her skill in shooting baskets bringing most of the scores for the local team. The guarding and team work of the local girls was also exceptionally good. The Aggies' only point was made on a free throw. It is probable that a return game will be played at the Onalaska school in the near future. The Y. W. girls are much elated over the outcome of the game as it is the first they have played with an outside team.

The Lincoln girls' team of the Washburn school defeated the Washington school in a fast preliminary game by a score of 7 to 2. The lineup:  
Aggies—Guards, Helga Anderson, Laura Smith; forwards, Vernice Paquette, Lydia Zeller; jumping center, Tilda Johnson; running center, Marie Rodde.

Y. W. C. A.—Guards, Alma Ruden, Grace Wallace; forwards, Ada Smith, Minnie Hoefke, Florence Moss; jumping center, Theresa Gutske; running center, Florence Sellen.

Officials—Referee, Miss Amanda Clement; umpire, Miss Ethel Burnham.

Novel Method of Dusting.  
In Europe they dust the paintings in art galleries by means of air syringes.

### WHY NOT PATRIOTS IN WAX?

Suggestion for Exhibitions of Effigies Comes From the Shows Common in England.

How many school children would recognize historical personages, other than perhaps Washington and Lincoln, if they met them face to face? A South Side matron recently returned from a tour of the British Isles, was speaking. She said:

"In Great Britain every little town has its wax works show. It is a mystery to me why we Americans with our far-famed business sagacity have so long neglected so fertile a field. They are as common and as cheap there as moving picture shows are here. In these places all the famous characters of history and literature are depicted. A school child is able to go into a wax works show and get an accurate idea of the costumes, faces and figures of any particular time. How many of us can get such an idea from a pile of clothing lying ticketed on a museum shelf?"

"Mme. Tussaud's wax works in London are probably the most complete of its kind in the world. Thousands of figures and scenes are depicted in so close imitation of life that one really lives history over again there."

### "Usin' Tiz Grandma?"

"Yes, Harold, It Makes Grandma's Feet Feel Just Like Yours, Free From Tiredness Aches and Corns."

"Your papa and mamma, your grandpa and your grandma all use TIZ Harold. And you'll use it, too, when you get to be a man. Then your feet will never hurt, or get tired. That's why we all use TIZ."



Most of us get old, feet first. The bunions get stale, more wearisome and painful. Corns get harder and more stubborn as the feet become more tender. At a time when old people need their feet most, they can use them less—unless they use TIZ. If you have never used TIZ before, your first use of it will bring back some of your girlhood days. TIZ will make your feet feel young, strong and vigorous. They'll never be tender, never chafe or ache, never get blistered or swollen, and your corns, bunions and callouses will be no more. Nothing will do it or can do it like TIZ. Don't experiment with other things; other people have done that for you and they are all now using TIZ.

TIZ acts on a new principle—draws out all the poisonous exudations that make foot troubles. TIZ, 25 cents a box, sold everywhere or sent direct, on receipt of price, by Walter Luther Dodge & Co., Chicago, Ill. Recommended by all Drug Stores, department and general stores.

### FIGHT TALE TOLD BY INDEPENDENT

Sulzberger, Father of the Packing Industry, Tells on Stand How He Fought the Trust

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Declaring that year in and year out he had fought the beef combine, that ever since he started in the packing business in 1868 he had borne the brunt of the combined attacks of allied interests, Ferdinand Sulzberger, 7 years of age, the real veteran of the packing industry, today continued his story before the jury in Judge Carpenter's court where ten men, alleged heads of the beef trust, are on trial.

"I fought the other concerns at every turn," declared the veteran, when asked if he had not sought agreements that would protect his territory.

With the gleam of battle still in his eyes, the veteran told how he had brought into the conferences in 1900, when the Veeder dream for a billion dollar meat combine was being planned. His company was to be merged with the others. The moment the scheme failed and he saw there was a chance for him to operate alone, Sulzberger declared he again took the field, single handed to fight for business against the Armour, Swift, Morris and Cudahy interests.

"We made all the money we could. We charged high prices when we thought we could get them and we lowered our prices when business grew slack. Yes, yes I changed my plans often. I varied prices to suit the needs of the moment. Often I changed my whole plan of business at night when my competitors were asleep and I thought I could get an advantage over them," he said.

Shocking Sounds  
in the earth are sometimes heard before a terrible earthquake, that warn of the coming peril. Nature's warnings are kind. That dull pain or ache in the back warns you the kidneys need attention if you would escape those dangerous maladies, Dropsy, Diabetes or Bright's disease. Take Electric Bitters at once and see backache fly and all your best feelings return. "My son received great benefit from their use for kidney and bladder trouble," writes Peter Bondy, South Rockwood, Mich. "It is certainly a great kidney medicine." Try it. 50 cents at O. T. Erhart.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin—In Probate—La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Julius Novratzke, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters of administration in said matter having been granted to Elizabeth Novratzke, of La Crosse, Wisconsin, notice is hereby given that six months after the 20th day of February, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the third day of September, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1912.  
By the Court,  
JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.

### SOME FACTS ABOUT SLEEP

Caused by a Withdrawal of Blood From the Brain, Says Modern Physiology.

All the organs of life rest in some way or other. The heart has an interval of rest between each combined act of contraction and expansion and the beginning of a fresh act. Between each expiration of the lungs and the succeeding inspiration there is a period of repose. Physiologists have calculated that the heart reposes during about one-fourth of the time.

Certain of the other organs suspend their activity in part during sleep. Old physiologists supposed that sleep was caused by the pressure of the blood on the brain. But modern physiology, with a tendency to regard the brain as the origin of all force and of all functions of the body, inclines to the view that sleep is caused by a withdrawal of blood from the brain.

As a rule, the larger the brain the more sleep it requires. Webster went to bed at nine o'clock and rose at five. General Grant used to say, during his campaigns, "I can do nothing without nine hours' sleep."

A curious trait has marked men of large brain—that of sleeping at will. Bonaparte used to throw himself on the ground and go to sleep within a space of two minutes. Pitt was a sound sleeper, and slept night after night in the house of commons while his colleagues watched the debate and roused him when it was necessary that he should speak.

### A Backsliding Santa Claus.

Mrs. Peavish says that before they were married Mr. Peavish used to say that if she would let him be her Santa Claus he would devote his life to sliding up and down the chimney for her. And now it makes him mad to have to take up ashes from the grate.

### Blamed a Good Worker

"I blamed my heart for severe distress in my left side for two years," writes W. Evans, Danville, Va., "but I know now it was indigestion, as Dr. King's New Life Pills completely cured me." Best for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, constipation, headache or debility. 25c at O. T. Erhart.

### FEDERALS WANT JUAREZ AGAIN

When Campa Leaves Border City for Chihuahua, Madero Plans to Retake It

EL PASO, Texas, Feb. 29.—That Juarez will be the storm center of the Vasquista revolution in Mexico for some time to come is indicated in advices received in this city from Mexico City today.

When the Vasquistas tomorrow move the bulk of their forces upon Chihuahua, the Mexican government, it said, will send a sufficient force to retake Juarez.

In a private dispatch from Mexico City, it is said President Madero has stated finally that he has no idea of resigning the presidency or of giving up Juarez, the chief port of entry in northern Mexico.

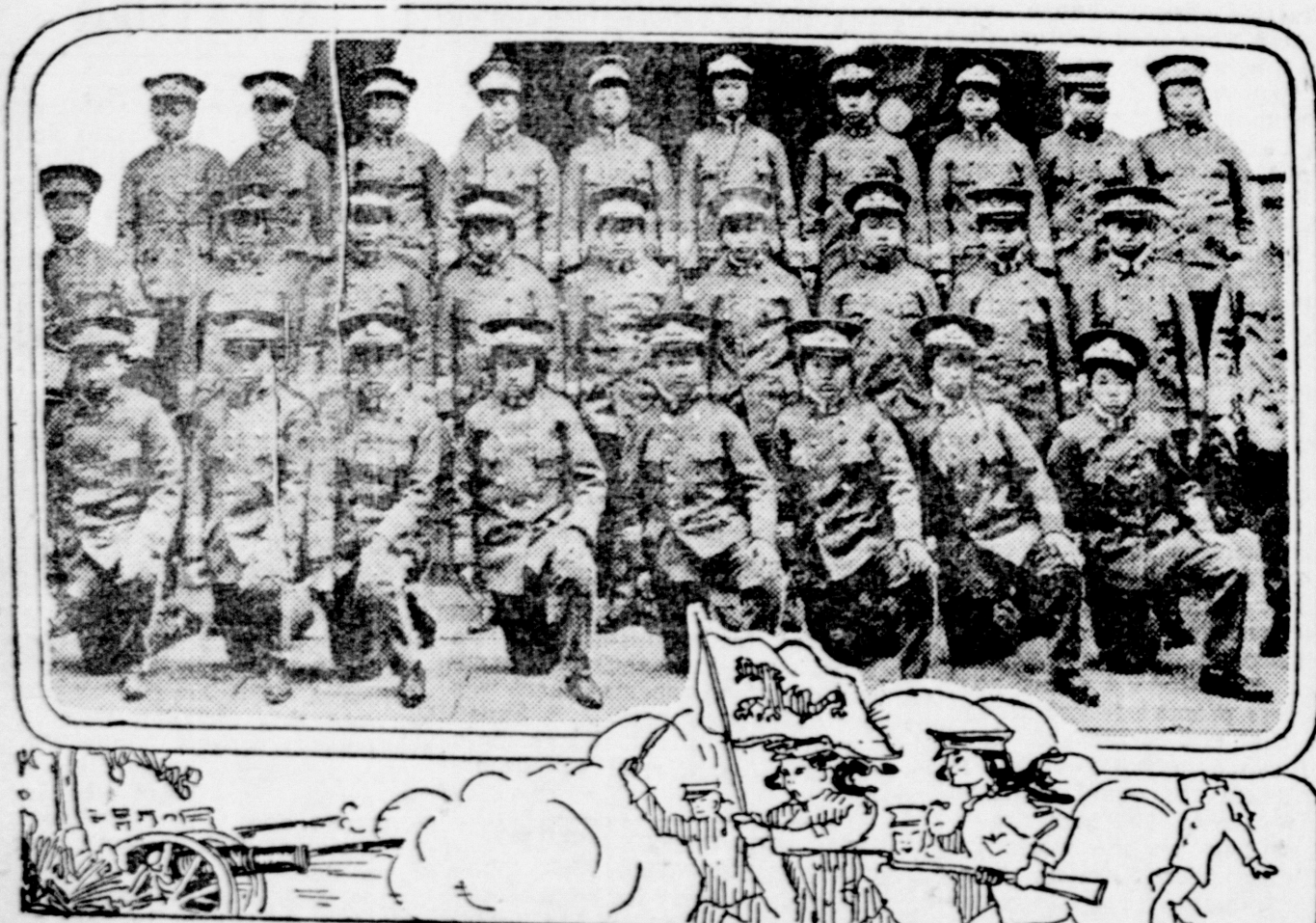
The Juarez custom house has been officially closed by Madero and officially opened by order of General Inez Salazar, one of the rebel commanders.

Plans have been perfected for moving 2,500 Vasquistas from Juarez to Chihuahua Friday morning. It is not expected the Chihuahua garrison will resist and Vasquista asserts that General Orozco will assume command of their forces after today. A garrison of 200 men will be left in Juarez.

Many a man is credited with things that are not to his credit. Some men commune with the spirits and use a bartender as the medium.

IT'S DIFFERENT  
NO DUST  
SHINE  
STAYS  
USED AND SOLD BY  
HARDWARE DEALERS  
GET A CAN TODAY

### CHINESE WOMEN TO FIGHT FOR REVOLUTION



CHINA'S AMAZONS

SHANGHAI, China—Like Amazons of old, the Chinese women have entered the lists as soldiers to fight and die if necessary at the front for the honor of their country. The above is a battalion of Shanghai women soldiers ranging in age from 17 to 25 years, most of them daughters of wealthy merchants. They are now in Mankang, awaiting orders to march to the front.



## What Ails You?

Do you feel weak, tired, despondent, have frequent headaches, coated tongue, bitter or bad taste in morning, "heart-burn," belching of gas, acid risings in throat after eating, stomach gnaw or burn, foul breath, dizzy spells, poor or variable appetite, nausea at times and kindred symptoms?

If you have any considerable number of the above symptoms you are suffering from biliousness, torpid liver with indigestion, or dyspepsia. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is made up of the most valuable medicinal principles known to medical science for the permanent cure of such abnormal conditions. It is a most efficient liver invigorator, stomach tonic, bowel regulator and nerve strengthener.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is not a patent medicine or secret nostrum, a full list of its ingredients being printed on its bottle-wrapper and attested under oath. A glance at these will show that it contains no alcohol, or harmful habit-forming drugs. It is a fluid extract made with pure, triple-refined glycerine, of proper strength, from the roots of native American medical forest plants. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



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## THE PARCELS POST ISSUE IS JOINED

It is probable that there will develop a difference of opinion between the farmers and the retail merchants of the Seventh Congressional district over the proposed parcels post law. Merchants fear this legislation upon the theory that it will afford an additional advantage to the mail order houses in invading the territory of the local dealer; the farmers believe in the law because it is so drawn as to afford exceptional advantages to residents on rural routes.

As to the actual effect upon the local retail merchants, there is wide disparity of opinion, so astute a student as Senator Jonathan Bourne, Jr. now declaring, after a thorough investigation, that the parcels post will help rather than hinder the community merchant.

The parcels post is an established institution in leading foreign countries, but it is argued that these countries are so relatively small when compared with the United States that there does not exist in them the mail order problem. However, it is argued that irrespective of its alleged benefits to the commodity trust, the parcels post affords so great an advantage to people in general that its establishment in the United States is but a question of time. That it is strenuously opposed by the express companies, for obvious reasons, is probably its best recommendation so far as the public at large is concerned.

The Tribune calls attention of the merchants and the farmers of this community to the fact that the parcels post problem is going to be put straight up to them in the near future. Rural route dwellers have established what they call "Parcels Post Day," the date set being March 18th. Upon this day it is planned for every family living upon a route, and all others who favor a parcels post, to mail letters to their congressmen and senators, demanding their support for the parcels post bill, and asking them to make public their answer as to whether or not they favor it.

Thus the matter is put to the issue, and merchants and other citizens who do not favor the parcels post will have to look lively if they do not want to have the contest foreclosed against them.

Mr. S. Markle of this city, prominent through the northwest by reason of his success as a corn grower, is taking the leading part in this community in favor of the parcels post. He recently delivered an address upon the subject at the town of Campbell farmers' meeting, and is conducting correspondence with Prof. W. A. Henry, of the College of Agriculture of the State University, relating to the subject.

The law now in contemplation proposes:

(1) To carry parcels on rural routes only at nominal cost, since the income would be practically all profit. (2) Establish circles or zones of 25, 100, 300, etc., miles radius from each postoffice, charging a low rate for parcels carried within the first zone, and increasing

for other zones. (3) Enlarge the weight limit on rural routes to 25 or more pounds, and in the zones to 11 or more pounds. A bill now drafted would make the cost on rural routes 5c for the first pound, and 2c for each additional pound.

It is not on the long hauls, in which he would now have to use the express, but on shipments purely within the limits of the rural delivery, that the farmer sees the great importance to him of this bill. To him it is a big advantage. Under the present law four pounds is the limit of weight he can mail, while under the new law he can mail from eleven to twenty-five pounds; under the present law he pays 16c a pound, while under the new law he would pay but 5c for the first pound and 2c additional for each additional pound. To him it means that he can send eleven pounds of seed corn, or eleven pounds of any other commodity to the city, or to his neighbor, in charge of the rural mail carrier; he can telephone to town and have his meat sent out by the carrier. At all times, and particularly in the busy season when he cannot spare his own time nor his team, this is an advantage so immense that it is not strange that the farmer is inclined to seize it.

To the objections of the merchant that in getting this local advantage the farmer is giving the mail order house such a hold upon the nation's retail trade as will eventually cripple both farmer and city dweller and reduce the value of all country property, the farmer replies that in this bill the classification in zones makes the method of shipping fair and gives the local merchant the better of it in his effort to compete with the mail order house. This arrangement in zones means, for example, that articles shipped from a given center to all points within a radius of say 200 miles, shall pay a center rate; that articles shipped from this same center into an area more than 200 miles distant and less than 400 miles distant shall pay a proportionately higher rate. Under this arrangement, then, it would cost considerably more to ship a given article from Chicago to West Salem than it would from La Crosse to West Salem.

We are not convinced that this difference in cost would put the La Crosse merchant upon an even footing with the Chicago mail order house. Even if it did, the Chicago mail order house is equipped for doing business by mail while the local merchant is not. It seems important that both farmers and merchants should, before parcels post day, make such serious study of the problem as will permit them to determine in their own minds whether or not this is a desirable bill. The merchant should remember that, if the bill is not injurious to his own business, he should favor a bill that offers important advantages to the farmer. The farmer should reflect that if, in fact, the passage of this bill would mean the building up of the big mail order houses and the dwindling of merchandizing in the smaller cities, no advantage that can come to the farmer through the parcels post would offset this. If we kill our cities and villages, we kill our farms. The farmer can do without a parcels post, and without the rural route itself, better than he can afford anything that would strike a mortal blow at the business of the city or village upon the prosperity of which the value of his own farm is rated.

The Tribune confesses to grave doubt as to the merits of this controversy. The arguments pro and con are largely theoretical. We have in this article placed the matter before the public, in the hope that all who are interested will give it the attention that it deserves and make their conclusions known to their congressmen and senator when "Parcels Post Day" arrives.

## NOMINATIONS BY TAFT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—President Taft has nominated: To be United States district attorney for district of Arizona, Joseph E. Morrison; to be United States attorney for Porto Rico, William N. Landers.

## Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

### Babies in Gotham

NEW YORK.—Figures announced by the department of health show that 134,542 babies were born in the city during the year 1911.

### Rains Worms on Ship

BERGEN POINT, N. J.—During a storm a shower of sandworms fell upon the deck of the ferryboat Bayonne City. Captain William Duffy swears it's true.

### Woman Heads Phone Co.

PHILADELPHIA.—Mrs. Esther C. Young, a wealthy society woman, has been elected president of the Columbia Telephone company. She is the first woman in the country to hold such a position.

### Meteor Hits House

NEENAH, Wis.—A red hot meteor fell upon the house of Stephen Seemlock here and knocked a large hole in the roof. The family narrowly escaped being hit.

### Gives Mustache to Church

MURRAYVILLE, Ill.—George McAllister sacrificed his long, silky mustache for \$10, auctioning it to the highest bidder, to boost the building fund of the local Methodist church.

### John D. Loses Chickens

TARRYTOWN, N. Y.—An immense eagle has been feasting on chickens captured on the estate of John D. Rockefeller here, during the last few days.

### Judge Pays Fine

CHICAGO.—Patrick Conroy got a job with a packing company and stole six lamb chops for his starving family. They had eaten no meat for weeks. Judge Rooney fined him \$1 and paid the fine himself.

### Bigamist Nailed

CHICAGO.—Charged with having a wife in each of seven cities and combining matrimony with the white slave traffic, Max Gaber has been arrested for bigamy and violation of the Mann act.

### Cold Hard on Birds

MOUNT VERNON, Ill.—Game Warden Wood states that 25 per cent of the quail and 40 per cent of the song birds froze to death or starved during the recent cold spell.

### Dismisses Spook Suit

CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Judge Lawrence declined to decide questions relating to spiritual phenomena, philosophy and religious belief, and dismissed a suit brought between factions of a spiritualist society.

### Three Hold Record

COLUMBUS, Ohio.—Of 279 proposals introduced to date in the Ohio constitutional convention, three men have introduced a total of 74. Records show that 27 delegates have not fathered a single proposition.

### 80, Has 19th Birthday

PITTSBURG, Pa.—Although 80 years old, Joseph Walnwright today celebrated his nineteenth birthday. He was born February 29, 1833.

### Jury Gives Silver

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoffbeck, who were married yesterday are the proud possessors of a silver service, the gift of the jury that acquitted Mrs. Hoffbeck of murdering her infant.

## Never Forget the Goat

Representative I. R. Sherwood of Ohio at a testimonial dinner tendered Samuel Gompers and Frank Morrison, president and secretary respectively of the American Federation of Labor, advised the labor men not to give up any fights until they were thoroughly beaten. Never forget the goat, he said, and then told this story:

"A man once owned a fine and resourceful goat of which he was very proud. One day this goat lost caste with his master by swallowing a red flannel shirt which was the property of his owner. Angered beyond reason, the man led the goat to the railroad track and, tying the animal to the ties, left him to what he believed was certain death.

"The goat was exposed to capital punishment and made violent efforts to release himself from his bonds. In this he was unsuccessful, but in straining himself he produced a violent fit of coughing and he coughed up the shirt and flagged the train."

## THE DOCTOR HABIT And How She Overcame It

When well selected food has helped the honest physician place his patient in sturdy health and free from the "doctor habit," it is a source of satisfaction to all parties. A Chicago woman says:

"We have not had a doctor in the house during all the 5 years that we have been using Grape-Nuts food. Before we began, however, we had the 'doctor habit' and scarcely a week went by without a call on our physician.

"When our youngest boy arrived, 5 years ago, I was very much run down and nervous, suffering from indigestion and almost continuous headaches. I was not able to attend to my ordinary domestic duties and was so nervous that I could scarcely control myself. Under advice I took Grape-Nuts.

"I am now, and have been ever since we began to use Grape-Nuts food, able to do all my own work. The dyspepsia, headaches, nervousness and rheumatism which used to drive me fairly wild, have entirely disappeared.

"My husband finds that in the night work in which he is engaged, Grape-Nuts food supplies him the most wholesome, strengthening and satisfying lunch he ever took with him." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.



is a household word and need in thousands of homes in this great country.

YOU MAY PAY MORE BUT YOU CANNOT GET BETTER FLOUR.

Valuable Coupon with Every Sack.

LISTMAN MILL CO., LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

## The Joker

He's the busiest of the busy, A Cyclone Johnny Hump, Most pestiferous of humans, And always on the jump.

In laughter and in tears is he A genius of his trade, He finds a smile in everything, He's never dull and staid.

He's part of every business, The life of every stage, Though it's a fact that often he Goads many men to rage.

But again he causes laughter When tears are wont to flow, And often stops a quarrel And stays blind anger's blow.

Yes, we need him every minute, The Joker and his kind, For he helps dispel our grouches, And at least relieves the mind.

## Name Unknown

The men were eating their lunch in the temporary headquarters of the chief electrician when the telephone bell rang. Terry answered.

"Hello. Yes, this is the place, mum. What's his name again? Stewart, is it? No, there ain't nobody by that name here that I know of. Boys' does any of you know a man around here by the name of Mr. Stewart?"

"Not I, said Pat. 'Nor I," said Mike. Phelim and Aloisius shook their heads.

"There's nobody here knows who you want, mum," said Terry to the phone. He returned to his dinner-pail and a moment later suddenly laid down his sandwich and shouted: "Boys' do you know who the man Stewart, is that the lady wanted? Begorry, it's the boss!"—Newark News.

## Must Have Been Over Sixty

"What," enthusiastically exclaimed the man of forty who was attending 'coming-out' party, "is more beautiful than a girl of twenty who is just budding into womanhood?" "Well," replied the man of sixty, "If you really want my opinion, I should say a nice, new, twenty-dollar bill."

## His Second Choice

A candidate for nomination at the primaries next month—not a non-partisan—was doing a little campaigning Saturday night. He met a negro constituent, and, after duly extolling himself he asked the negro for his vote.

"You're mah second choice sah," answered the darky.

"And who is your first choice my man?" asked the prospective candidate.

"Anybody who can beat you," was the unexpected reply.

## A Modest Note

Reginald de Koven told at a musicale in Chicago a pretty story in praise of modesty.

"A group of tourists," he said, "visited in Bonn Beethoven's house. One of the tourists, a girl of twenty or so, sat down at Beethoven's piano and played the 'Moonlight Sonata' none too well—Beethoven's own work, in his own room, on his own piano!"

"When the girl had finished she arose and said to the old caretaker: 'I suppose lots of famous musicians have been here and played on this instrument?'"

"Well, miss," the caretaker answered, gravely, "Paderewski was here last year, and his friends urged him to play, but he shook his head and said:

"'No; I am not worthy.'"—New York Tribune.

## Unequal Capacity

The Army and Navy club in Washington is an exclusive organization. The clubhouse is nicely decorated. One picture of which the members are proud and which they take every opportunity to bring to the attention of visitors is a rather crude pen and ink drawing, obviously the work of an amateur. It depicts an officer seated before a deal table, standing in front of which is a private soldier at salute. Beneath the picture is the following inscription:

"Pat, I hear that you have been drunk again."

"Yis, sor."

"Your conduct is disgraceful. Why can't you drink like officers and gentlemen?"

"Faith, sor, and if Oi did Oi'd be dead in a wake."—New York Post.

## THE CARPET FROM BAGDAD

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George did not see her at lunch, and consequently did not enjoy the hour. Was she ill? Had she gone away? Would she return before he started? He greeted the Major as one greets a long-lost friend, and by gradations George considered clever indeed, brought the conversation down to Fortune. No, the Major did not know where she was. She had gone early to the bazaars. Doubtless she was lunching alone somewhere. She had the trick of losing herself at times. Mrs. Chedsoye was visiting friends at Shepherd's. When did Mr. Jones leave for America? What on the morrow? The Major shook his head regretfully. There was no place like Cairo for Christmas.

George called a carriage, drove about the principal streets and the shopping districts, and used his eyes diligently; but it was love's labor lost. Not even when he returned at tea-time did he see her. Why hadn't he known and got up? He could have shown her the bazaars; and there wasn't a dragon-maid in Cairo more familiar with them than he. A wasted day, totally wasted. He hung about the lounging-room till it was time to go up and dress for dinner. Tonight (as if the gods had turned George's future affairs over to the care of Momus) he dressed as if he were going to the opera; swallow-tail, white vest, high collar and white lawn cravat, opera Fedora, and thin-soled pumps; all those habiliments and demi-habilliments supposed to make the man. When he reached what he thought to be the glass of fashion and the mold of form, he turned for the first time toward his trunk. He did not rub his eyes; it wasn't at all necessary; one thing he saw, or rather did not see, was established beyond a doubt, as plainly definite as two and two are four. The ancient Yhiorides had taken upon itself one of the potentialities of its fabulous prototype, that of invisibility: it was gone.

## CHAPTER XI. Episodic.

Fortune had immediately returned from the bazaars. And a kind of torpor blanketed her mind, usually so fertile and active. For a time the process of the evolution of thought was denied her; she tried to think, but there was an appalling lack of continuity, of broken threads. It was like one of those circumferential railways: she traveled, but did not get anywhere. Ryanne had told her too much for her own sake, but too little for hers. She sat back in the carriage, inert and listless, and indeterminedly likened her condition to driftwood in the ebb and flow of beach-waves. The color and commotion of the streets were no longer absorbed; it was as if she were riding through emptiness, through the unreality of a dream. She was oppressed and stifled, too; languishing of storms.

Mechanically she dismissed the carriage at the hotel, mechanically she went to her room, and in this semiconscious mood she sat down in a chair, and there George's wish found her, futilely. Oh, there was one thing clear, clear as the sky outside. All was not right; something was wrong; and this wrong upon one side concerned her mother, her uncle and Ryanne, and upon the other side, Mr. Jones. Think and think as she might, her endeavors gave her no single illumination. Four blind walls surrounded her. The United Romance and Adventure Company, there there could not possibly be such a thing in existence; it was a jest of Ryanne's to cover up something far more serious.

She pressed her eyes with her hand. They ached dully, the dull pain of bewilderment, which these days recurred with frequency. A senseless time was lacking; for luncheon hour came and passed without her being definitely aware of it. This in itself was a puzzle.

## THINK THIS OVER

This Offer Should Gain the Confidence of the Most Skeptical

We pay for all the medicine used during the trial, if our remedy fails to completely relieve you of constipation. We take all the risk. You are not obligated to us in any way whatever, if you accept our offer. That's a mighty broad statement, but we mean every word of it. Could anything be more fair for you?

A most scientific, common sense treatment is Rexall Orderlies, which are eaten like candy. Their active principle is a recent scientific discovery that is odorless, colorless, and tasteless; very pronounced, gentle, and pleasant in action, and particularly agreeable in every way. This ingredient does not cause diarrhoea, nausea, flatulence, griping, or other inconvenience. Rexall Orderlies are particularly good for children, aged and delicate persons.

If you suffer from chronic or habitual constipation, or the associate or dependent chronic ailments, we urge you to try Rexall Orderlies at our risk. Remember, you can get them in La Crosse only at our store. 12 tablets, 10 cents; 36 tablets, 25 cents; 80 tablets, 50 cents. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store, O. T. Erhart.



Made from grape Cream of Tartar; absolutely free from alum.

For sixty years American housewives have found Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder a guarantee of light, pure and wholesome food.

A jaunt, such as she had taken that morning, always keened the edge of her appetite; and, yet, there was no craving whatever.

Where was her mother? If she would only come now, the cumulative doubts of all these months should be put into speech. They had treated her as one would treat a child; it was neither just nor reasonable. If not as a child, but as one they dared not trust, then they were afraid of her. But why? She pressed her hands together, impatiently. Ryanne, clever as he was, had made a slip or two which he had sought to cover up with a jest. Why should he confess himself to be a rogue unless his tongue had got the better of his discretion? If he was a rogue, why should her mother and her uncle make use of him, if not for rogues' sake? They were fools, fools! If they had but seen and understood her as she was, she would have gone to the bitter end with them, loyally, with sealed lips. But no; they had chosen not to see; and in this had morally betrayed her. Ah, it rankled, and the injustice of it grew from pain to fury. At that moment, had she known anything, she certainly would have denounced them. Of what use was loyalty, since none of them sought it in her?

The Major was wiser than he knew when he spoke of the hundredth danger, the danger unforeseen, the danger against which they could make no preparation. And he would have been first to sense the irony of it could he have seen where this danger lay.

Why should they wish the pleasant young man out of the way? Why should Ryanne wish to inveigle him into the hands of this man Mahomed? Was it merely self-preservation, or something deeper, more sinister? Think! Why couldn't she think of something? It was only a little pleasure trip to Cairo, they had told her, and when she had asked to go along, they seemed willing enough. But they had come to this hotel, when formerly they had always put up at Shepherd's. And here again the question, why? Was it because

Mr. Jones was staying here? She liked him, what little she had seen of him. He was out of an altogether different world than that to which she was accustomed. He was neither insanely mad over cards nor a social idler. He was a young man with a real interest in life, a worker, notwithstanding that he was reputed to be independently rich. And her mother had once borrowed money of him, never intending to pay it back. The shame of it! And why should she approach him the very first day and recall the incident, if not with the ulterior purpose of using him further? As a ball strikes a wall only to rebound to the thrower, so it was with all these questions. There was never any answer. (To be Continued.)

## HITCHCOCK IS DEFEATED

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—The senate foreign relations committee refused to report the Hitchcock resolution, providing for a complete investigation of the means by which the canal zone was acquired. The resolution was strenuously opposed by Senators Lodge and Root.

## DEAFNESS CANNOT BE CURED

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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that emanates from a sunburst at Braun's will rival old Sol's most brilliant rays. The beautiful display that we are exhibiting will make it easy to choose gifts for spring weddings from as it comprises everything in diamonds and precious stones in ornaments of all kinds, silverware, cut glass and rich in profusion at

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318 Pearl. La Crosse Wis.

### FRANKLIN CLUB TO DISCUSS CARY ROW

An interesting debate is scheduled for tonight when the Franklin club will discuss the question, "Resolved, that the attack made by State Superintendent C. P. Cary on the state university is justified." Geo. B. Marvin, Harry Spence and Leland Mahoney will uphold the affirmative of this question while H. L. Taylor, Philip Elliott and R. H. Butler will sustain the negative. The debate promises to be a hard fought discussion as both sides have been preparing their arguments for some time.

**Indestructible Doll.**  
A new doll that its inventor claims is indestructible is made of properly shaped blocks of wood, joined by spring steel swivels and hinges.

**"Bowel Pleasure"**

Bowel pleasure? Yes! These Sweet Little Pills nourish the bowel-nerve and are a perfect tonic for the muscles and ligaments of the bowels; and this is why they do not pain, sicken or grip, but cause a delightful and almost ecstatic pleasurable movement, in the most natural way and without creating a bad habit or weakening the system in any way. If you'll try them, "Bowel Pleasure" and regularity will be yours for keeps.

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**Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills**

THE PLEASURABLE PHYSIC.  
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### NORTH SIDE :: NEWS ::

#### SPECIAL TRAIN KILLS WORKMAN

George W. Dean, Rubber Mills Employee, Struck While Crossing "Q" Viaduct

#### STEAM HIDES THE TRAIN

Engine Passing Beneath the Bridge Causes Obstruction of View; Instantly Killed

Struck by Superintendent D. C. Cunningham's special train as he was going home from his work last evening shortly after 7 o'clock, George W. Dean, aged 42, 1412 Wood street, an employee of the La Crosse Rubber mills, was instantly killed while crossing the "Red Bridge," the C. & Q. viaduct over the C. M. & St. P. railroad tracks on the north side.

He was crossing the viaduct on his way home when the accident happened. A dense cloud of steam from a switch engine of the C. M. & St. P. road which was passing underneath the viaduct made it impossible for him to see the "Q" train coming. As the regular passenger train had passed some time before Mr. Dean was unaware that another train was coming so he did not hear Superintendent Cunningham's train which was backing down the track. Mr. Dean was thus caught unprepared but it is doubtful if he could have escaped death if he had received warning of the coming of the train. Because of the smoke and steam coming from the switch engine on the C. M. & St. P. road, the engineer on the special was unable to see the man on the tracks.

An account book in Mr. Dean's pocket furnished the clue as to his identity as it was at first not known who the victim of the accident was. A complete record was found in the account book. He had a week's pay check in the book.

Mr. Dean has resided in La Crosse many years and he was well known and well liked here. Some time ago he was proprietor of a restaurant on Caledonia street, but he had been in the employ of the Rubber Mills for several years. Mr. Dean belonged to the Woodmen of the World. He is survived by his widow and two children, George M. and Dorwald.

The funeral arrangements will be completed at the special meeting of the Woodmen of the World tonight.

### NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Stanley Taylor of Austin, Minn., is visiting friends on the north side today.

William Valencourt went to Marshland, Wis., on business this morning.

Anton Christenson has returned to the city from West Salem.

Julius Ackervold, who was visiting friends on the north side yesterday, returned to Coon Valley.

The Woodmen of the World will hold a special meeting tonight at the home of A. Yehle, 1411 Avon street.

Mrs. S. Hayden and Mrs. H. J. Richter will entertain the Ladies' society of the Lutheran church, St. Paul and Avon streets, tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. R. A. Taylor of 932 Rose street has returned to her home here after a brief business trip to Milwaukee.

Miss Pearl Larson returned to her home at West Salem after visiting relatives here.

John Peterson left yesterday for Milwaukee.

O. L. Olstad of Holmen was a La Crosse business visitor yesterday.

Word has been received by local friends that C. H. Wiles, a former resident of La Crosse, has accepted a position with the Northern Pacific railroad in Duluth and that he is soon to be married to a popular young lady of Proctor, Minn.

Miss Lizzie Larkin is ill at her home, 413 Caledonia street, with the grip.

Mrs. F. Briebach, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in Winona, has returned to her home, 1114 Gillette street.

Mrs. Donovan of 216 Rose street is ill with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Kowitz and family, who were confined to their home, 1649 Berlin street, with diphtheria, are able to be out.

Wm. Klos, who has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A. E. Peterson, 1553 Berlin street, left today for his home in Soldiers Grove, Wis.

Mrs. Moe, who has been ill at her home, 816 Hill street, is rapidly recovering.

Mrs. Brewer is ill at her home, 911 Avon street, with the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch and daughter Dorothy of 413 Caledonia street, left today for Dubuque for a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Schommers, who have been visiting relatives on the north side, have returned to their home in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Daniel Deneen of 817 Berlin street, left for Black River Falls, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Christie.

Fred Nye is a business visitor in Milwaukee.

And every mother's son of us expects to strike it rich some day.

Any fool can please a woman, but it takes a wise man to keep her pleased.

### A SIMPLE RECIPE FOR RHEUMATISM

The Home Prescription Which Anyone Can Prepare—Doesn't Cost Much and Relieves Many Cases—Makes the Kidneys Take Out the Poisons.

Thousands of men and women who have felt the sting and torture of this dread disease, which is no respecter of age, person, sex, color or rank will be interested to know that while for many years rheumatism was considered an incurable disease, now it is one of the easiest afflictions of the human body to conquer. Medical science has proved it not a distinct disease in itself, but a symptom caused by indigestion and inactive kidneys. Rheumatism is uric acid in the blood and other waste products of the system, which should be filtered and strained out in the form of urine. The function of the kidneys is to sift these poisons and acids out and keep the blood clear and pure. The kidneys, however, are of sponge-like substance, the holes or pores of which will sometimes, either from overwork or exposure, become clogged and inactive, and fail in their function of eliminating these poisons from the blood, they remain in the veins, decompose and settling about the joints and muscles, cause the untold suffering and pain of rheumatism and backache, these produce complications of bladder and urinary diseases, weakness, etc.

The following simple prescription is said to relieve the worst cases of rheumatism because of its direct action upon the stomach, blood and kidneys, relieving, too, the most severe forms of bladder and urinary troubles: Fluid Extract Juniper Berries, one ounce; Compound Fluid Balmwort, one ounce; Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, four ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses before each meal and at bedtime. The ingredients can be had from any good prescription pharmacy and are absolutely harmless and safe to use at any time.

### PAINTERS' LEAD IS CINCHED BY WIN

The Painters captured three straight games from the Barred Rocks at the Combination bowling alleys last night and the Painters, who are leading the Commercial bowling league, now have a six game lead on the Nelsons who are in second place. The first and third games were the closest of the set as in the first the Painters won by but five pins while they captured the third by a margin of twenty points. Thoreson of the Barred Rocks had high score for the evening with a record of 214 which he set in the third game. The scores:

Barred Rocks	1st	2nd	3rd
Thoreson	157	147	214
Wiskirchen	141	124	111
Dorstrich	156	125	184
Niemeyer	178	152	115
Substitute	123	144	122
Totals	755	692	746
Painters	1st	2nd	3rd
Verket	152	182	170
Paulson	140	181	122
Poehling	175	158	156
Mekvold	170	177	173
Voves	123	144	145
Totals	760	842	766

### New Yorkers and "the West."

If we lived in New York we could easily settle the question which is said to be disturbing the minds of the western governors—as to what is the dividing line between the east and the west. Everybody in New York knows that it is the Hudson river.—Wheeling Register.

### Young Offender.

A woman left her baby in its carriage at the door of a department store. A policeman found it there, apparently abandoned. As he passed down the street, a gamlin yelled: "What's the kid done?"—Collier's.

If ignorance is bliss, why so many diploma factories?

**Not A Becoming Crown for Youth**



A head full of unsightly gray and faded hair.—Why not have beautiful, natural colored hair, full of life and beauty—keep yourself young looking and fascinating?

Every woman wants to be and can be, if she will use HAY'S HAIR HEALTH to restore those gray hairs to their natural color. It isn't a dye.

You'll be surprised how quickly the gray hairs vanish and how young looking you can keep yourself by the regular use of HAY'S HAIR HEALTH. Get your money back from your druggist if you are not satisfied with it.

\$1.00 and 50c at Drug Stores or direct upon receipt of price and dealers name. Send 10c for trial bottle.—Philo Hay Spec. Co., Newark, N.J. Hoescher Bros., A. Belleue.

### CHURCH PROGRAM IS APPRECIATED

Entertainment at North Presbyterian Church Monday Evening Pleases Audience

An exceptionally good entertainment was presented by Miss Clara Christensen, dramatic soprano, Miss E. Henrietta Bjorn, reader and impersonator, and Miss Leila Ellen McKee, violinist and pianist, Monday evening at the North Presbyterian church.

They played to a completely filled house and their audience left no room for doubt as to the high appreciation with which they were received, for there was hearty sympathy, perfect attention and an enthusiastic recall for every number.

Miss Christensen has a beautiful soprano voice with the rich coloring of a mezzo, and sings with ease and spirit. Her different numbers were chosen with good judgment and offered her a fine opportunity to demonstrate her versatility in interpretation and expression. She was equal to the opportunity, displaying clearly her unusual natural talent and the best of training.

Miss McKee's work, both as pianist and violinist, is remarkable for beauty of interpretation, while her technique would satisfy the most critical. The McDowell Polonaise (piano) was heartily enjoyed, and deservedly, and the D'rda Souvenir (violin) was exquisite, Miss McKee making a veritable little past of it.

**Harmony Fascinating**  
Special mention is deserved in the case of the vocal numbers which were rendered with violin obligato, the beautiful blending of voice and instrument making these numbers very fascinating. There was no room for doubt as to the decision of the audience.

Miss Bjorn was what might be called in common parlance "a winner," from the very first sentence, but she was better than that, she was winning more and more with every succeeding sentence. The audience acknowledged it with ever increasing enthusiasm as her successive numbers were presented. Her voice is clear and steady and lacked nothing to make it ideal for the work. She seems to like her material, her work and, what is better and more rare, she liked her audience.

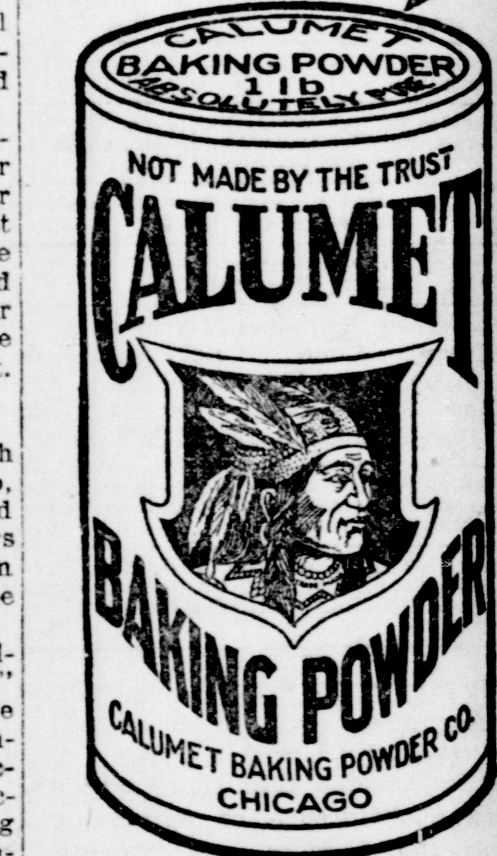
Every number of the program was heartily enjoyed and there was nothing to be heard after the entertainment but complimentary comment.

**Explanation of Sun's Heat.**  
The reason why the sun retains its heat despite the large amount it gives out is explained by the fact that heat is generated by the fall of particles toward its center.

### CALUMET The BAKING POWDER

That Makes the Baking Better

Features are almost impossible with Calumet. We know that it will give you better results. We know that the baking will be pure—more wholesome. We know that it will be more evenly raised. And we know that Calumet is more economical, both in its use and cost. We know these things because we have put the quality into it—we have seen it tried out in every way. It is used now in millions of homes and its sales are growing daily. It is the modern baking powder. Have you tried it? Calumet is highest in quality—moderate in price. Received Highest Award—World's Pure Food Exposition.



**Dangerous Wax.**  
Not many persons know that the preserving wax used in jellies is highly explosive. It should be placed in a small teapot, and the vessel must be only half full when ready for use. Be careful of the drip when replacing it on the stove. Several accidents this season have proclaimed its dangerous features.

A man doesn't appreciate common sense in a woman unless he is married to her.



The Levine's Coming Sunday at the Majestic

### The National Bank of La Crosse FEBRUARY 20, 1912.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$2,736,795.09
Overdrafts	1,628.54
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00
Municipal bonds to secure postal savings deposits	29,000.00
Other bonds	850,700.00
Banking house	50,000.00
Other real estate	100.00
Cash Resources—	
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	\$ 30,000.00
With banks	1,043,809.24
With treasurer U. S.	12,500.00
In vaults	270,369.63
	1,356,678.87
Total	\$5,274,902.50
LIABILITIES.	
Capital	250,000.00
Surplus	400,000.00
Undivided profits	41,311.58
Reserved for interest	2,500.00
Circulation	245,800.00
Bonds borrowed	29,000.00
DEPOSITS	4,306,290.92
Total	\$5,274,902.50
UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY.	

## We Still Have Some Left

Our Ladies' Rubbers at 49c have been the biggest bargains ever offered in that line. This has been shown by the amount we have sold since we started this sale. We still have a full assortment of all sizes in Ladies' Storm and Low Cut Rubbers in every kind of heel and toe. We can fit any shoe you bring in. While they last, only—

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# OYSTERS

Received every day during Lent. Bright new cans bearing a pure food guarantee are used for one shipment only. Consequently are strictly sanitary. Prices are now lower, as the ice is out of the Bay at Baltimore.

ORDER OYSTERS TODAY.

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STRAWBERRY AND VANILLA  
In Quart Bricks.  
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### THE FASHION SHOP

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EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE  
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We beg to announce to the public of La Crosse that the Imperial Dyers and Cleaners, late of Chicago, have opened a first class

### Cleaning & Dyeing Shop

at 227 NORTH THIRD STREET.  
New Phone 1232-A  
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Wagons call everywhere.

### DENOUNCE VIOLENCE

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Denouncing as monstrous the "wreaking of vengeance upon helpless women and children" at Lawrence, Mass., the national executive committee of the socialist party has sent telegrams to President Taft, Governor Foss of Massachusetts and Mayor Scanlon of Lawrence protesting against the brutal violence of the lawless officials and demanding that steps be immediately taken to protect the strikers and their families. The telegrams demand that the constitutional rights of the strikers and their families be respected and declare that "such barbarous methods tend to impede the progress of a peaceful and intelligent political and industrial solution of the struggle between the capitalist class and the working class."

Fundamental Error.  
We suffer, in teaching, from the means being exalted and the end forgotten.

### Ask Your Doctor

Talk with your doctor about Ayer's non-alcoholic Sarsaparilla. Ask him if he prescribes it for pale, delicate children. Ask him if he recommends it when the blood is thin and impure, and when the nerves are weak and unsteady. Ask him if it aids nature in building up the general health.

### NEW YORK MAYOR FORCED TO REST FROM HIS DUTIES



MRS. GAYNOR AND MAYOR WM. J. GAYNOR OF N.Y.

ATLANTIC CITY.—Mayor William J. Gaynor and Mrs. Gaynor are keeping here and the above photograph shows them on the boardwalk in one of the wheel chairs so popular to the resorters. Mr. Gaynor stated that he was feeling better and that his outing was rapidly restoring him to health and vigor. The mayor was forced to take a vacation on account of the many crimes including the record number of holdups in the financial district of New York which has caused so much trouble to the community.

### PERSONALS

When in doubt, go to the Bijou. Mrs. Frederick F. Farnham of Pittsburgh, Pa., arrived in the city last evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Bangsberg, 1311 King street.

Have your hands properly cared for by Mrs. L. B. Sullivan, Majestic building.

A. A. Kennedy of Onalaska was in the city on business yesterday.

C. P. Fox, Chaseburg, visited in La Crosse yesterday.

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wakefield, of De Soto, are visiting friends in the city today.

O. B. Olsen from Preston is a business caller in La Crosse today.

Hack and baggage calls made. Gateway City Trfr. Line. Phone 179.

R. B. Graves, a resident of Sparta, is a La Crosse visitor today.

Henry Longfellow, who has been in Bangor on business for the last week, returned to the city yesterday.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women J. K. Gray, McGregor, Ia., visited in the city yesterday.

James Wilson of Holmen transacted business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Rogers from De Soto visited friends in the city yesterday.

Fresh lobsters 60c a piece at Schrank's Cafe.

S. R. Burroughs came to the city from Sparta yesterday to remain here for a few days.

The Misses Evangeline and Della Black have left for Los Angeles, for a short visit with friends.

Tonight, lecture, Prof. Long, First Baptist church, 25c admission.

Property was sold by the La Crosse Industrial association to H. Hackner company in this city today for the consideration of \$1.

J. T. Lapitz, plumbing and heating, 131 So. Sixth. Both phones.

A. Black left for St. Cloud today where he has accepted a position.

R. C. McCaleb, this city, left for Fountain City this morning, where he will work for a short time in the interests of the social democratic party.

Dance at Linker hall, Saturday, March 2.

State Factory Inspector Norris left for Madison today.

The Gateway City Pleasure club will give a dance at Linker's hall Saturday night.

### LYNCH OPPOSES CHANGE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Feb. 28.—Fred B. Lynch, democratic national committeeman declared yesterday that he was opposed to the suggestions made by Senator A. O. Bacon of Georgia that the democrats delay the national convention in event of the republicans nominating Col. Roosevelt. Mr. Lynch said that as far as his vote goes it will be against any postponement. "We will beat either Taft or Roosevelt, so why need we care who they run; we walk alone."

### FRENCH BEATS BRITAIN

MONTREAL, Feb. 29.—George Carpenter, the French middleweight champion, and the best man in his class France has ever produced, showed conclusively this afternoon that he has a real wallop. He knocked out Jim Sullivan, the middleweight champion of England in the second round of their fight with a clean punch to the jaw. The men fought for a purse of \$10,000.

### Rap at English Language.

Mr. Ruskin was once asked if it would not be well for the Welsh language to die out and be replaced by the English. "God forbid!" he replied. "The Welsh language is the language of music. There is no genius about the English language. The Scotch have got all the poetry and the Irish all the wit, and how the devil we got Shakespeare I do not know."

### Point for Consideration.

"We must consider, not what the wise will think, but what the foolish will be sure to say."—Sir Arthur Helps.

### The Quickest, Simplest Cough Cure

Easily and Cheaply Made at Home. Saves You \$2.

This recipe makes a pint of cough syrup—enough to last a family a long time. You couldn't buy as much or as good cough syrup for \$2.00.

Simple as it is, it gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. This is partly due to the fact that it is slightly laxative, stimulates the appetite and has an excellent tonic effect. It is pleasant to take—children like it. An excellent remedy, too, for whooping cough, croup, sore lungs, asthma, throat troubles, etc.

Mix one pint of granulated sugar with 1/2 pint of warm water, and stir for 2 minutes. Put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and add the Sugar Syrup. It keeps perfectly. Take a teaspoonful every one, two or three hours.

Pine is one of the oldest and best known remedial agents for the throat membranes. Pinex is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in gualacal and all the other natural healing elements. Other preparations will not work in this formula.

The prompt results from this recipe have endeared it to thousands of housewives in the United States and Canada, which explains why the plan has been imitated often, but never successfully. A guarantee of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

### AWAY WITH CATARRH A FILTHY DISEASE

A Safe Old-fashioned Remedy Quickly Relieves All Distressing Symptoms

If you are subject to frequent colds, or if you have any of the distressing symptoms of catarrh, such as stuffed up feeling in the head, profuse discharge from the nose, sores in the nose, phlegm in the throat causing hawking and spitting, dull pain in the head or ringing in the ears, just anoint the nostrils or rub the throat or chest with a little Ely's Cream Balm, and see how quickly you will get relief.

In a few minutes you will feel your head clearing, and after using the Balm for a day or so the nasty discharge will be checked, the pain, soreness and fever gone, and you will no longer be offensive to yourself and your friends by constantly hawking, spitting and blowing.

Shake off the grip of catarrh before it impairs your sense of taste, smell and hearing and poisons your whole system. In a short time you can be completely cured of this distressing disease by using Ely's Cream Balm. This healing antiseptic Balm does not fool you by short, deceptive relief, but completely overcomes the disease. It clears the nose, head and throat of all the rank poison, soothes, heals and strengthens the raw, sore membranes, making you proof against colds and catarrh.

One application will convince you and a 50 cent bottle will generally cure the worst case of catarrh. It is guaranteed. Get it from your druggist today.

### SPOTLIGHTS

"Polly of the Circus"  
Miss Ida St. Leon in Frederic Thompson's "Polly of the Circus" which will be the attraction at the La Crosse Theater on Saturday, March 2, matinee and night, is a wonderful play with a wonderful record. A circus story, wherein strongly contrasting characters meet, mingle and make a tale of absorbing human interest. The play ran for one solid year at the Liberty Theater in New York City, and will be presented here with all its vast and elaborate scenic equipment and the wonderful circus features that won it fame and success in its original production.

Charming, fascinating, petite Polly, the "circus ridin' girl," is born of generations of circus folk and when her mother, the greatest rider of her day, dies a victim of her own ambition, Polly is left alone. But she is not without friends, for "Big Jim," the boss canvasman, with a great big heart as generous as the breadth of his shoulders, and "Uncle Toby's" pathetic devotion to their ward is one of the most charming touches of the story the atmosphere of sawdust and tinsel. Her mother's spirit lives in her and she becomes her worthy successor as a star of the sawdust ring. The reckless abandon of her riding brings her grief. She falls from the back of her horse, and is carried unconscious to the paragoness nearby and there is set the combination of Mandy, the motherly old colored housekeeper; the manly, susceptible young parson, John Douglas; the fascinating little convalescent; the well-meaning but narrow church folks, and Polly's "parents" who want her back in the circus, all pulling wires that makes "Polly of the Circus" an appealing story from beginning to end.

"THE LONESOME PINE"  
"The Lonesome Pine" is the title of the play and is well known from its great success in different parts of the country. This is one of Bert Mosher's attractions and he is known to spare no expense in putting on a company that will please the people. For stars he has secured Antoinette Crawford and Stanley DeWolf, who last season starred in Roy LaMarr's well known success, "The Girl and the Outlaw." "The Lonesome Pine" is a western play and a guaranteed attraction. Coming for matinee and night, March 3 at the La Crosse Theater.

Her Own Hat the Obstruction.  
A woman in a Vienna theater came out after the first act and asked to have the price of the ticket refunded, on the ground that having complied with the request to remove her hat she had held it on her knees and thus entirely obstructed her own view of the stage.

### 50c OUR BIG END-OF-THE-WEEK SALE 50c

Our 50c sales on Saturday have been so successful we have decided to make that a feature of our store.

Prices Talk Here Saturday  
A bargain harvest. Bargain gems. The sale that never disappoints. Saturday clearance sale. Collar pins 25c, cuff links 50c, jewel boxes 50c, candlesticks 50c, vinegar cruets 50c, oil cruets 50c, napkin rings 50c, water pitcher 50c, 6 tumblers 50c, cut glass vase 50c, clocks 50c, all our \$1.00 scarf pins 50c, and other articles too numerous to mention worth from \$1.00 to \$3.00 to go at 50c.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler.

### SOCIETY

#### GEORGE ASH SURPRISED

Mr. George Ash was pleasantly surprised on the anniversary of his birth by a party of friends. The evening was spent in playing progressive five hundred. Those present present were Messrs. and Mesdames J. Orton, W. W. West, J. Ash, L. Hirschelmer, W. Collins, J. W. Hart, Vol Woolsey, Mrs. J. Collins, J. Wandling, Mrs. G. W. Ash, Laura Ash, Mate Collins, Grace McCool, Byron Taylor and Oliver Ash.

#### DINNERS

Mrs. C. S. Van Auken entertained at dinner last evening Mrs. W. L. Crosby, Miss Margaret Crosby and Miss Jane Listman, Duluth, Minn.

#### LUNCHEON

Mrs. L. C. Colman entertained the Wednesday class at luncheon yesterday. Those present were Mrs. Alfred Anderson of Seattle, Miss Listman of Duluth, Mesdames Van Steenwyk, C. S. Cone, T. H. Spence, John Brindley, W. L. Crosby and Miss Frances Sill.

Mrs. John Brindley entertained a dozen ladies at luncheon today in honor of Mrs. W. B. Webb.

Mrs. M. Funke entertained the Harmonia club and a few others Monday afternoon in honor of her birthday.

Miss Jane Listman, who has been spending a few days with friends in the city, left this morning via the Burlington for her home at Duluth, Minn.

#### COFFEE

Mrs. R. M. I. Kinnear entertained at a coffee yesterday afternoon a few of the members of the M. E. church. The guests went at an early hour and carried their fancy work.

Mrs. George Gordon entertained a few yesterday at bridge.

Mrs. John Elliott entertained the Tuesday Bridge club.

#### SOCIAL BRIEFS

Mrs. Mary Verchota, 1310 Winnebago street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Lillian, to Charles Schwartz. The date of the marriage has not been made public.

#### NO NEW BATTLESHIPS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—A demand that the democratic majority of the house, rescinding its caucus action, are deciding against any expenditures for new battleships, was decided on at an executive meeting of the house naval committee. After hearing Secretary Meyer, the committee decided that it would be poor politics for the democrats to withhold alimony for battleships. Supporters of the two battleships a year plan were enthusiastic over the committee's attitude.

#### Twining Plants.

One of the peculiarities to be noticed in connection with the twining of plants is the fact that with very few exceptions all the individuals of one species always twine in the same direction. Most plants twine in the opposite course to the movement of the sun or the hands of a watch. Such twiners are the morning glory, wistaria, wax plant, trumpet creeper and many others. Among those which twine in the opposite direction the hop and wild bindweed, or climbing polygonum, are familiar examples.—Harper's Weekly.

#### As We Speak It.

A German who had come to America to master our language was being shown behind the scenes of a vaudeville theater by one of his American friends. "That man," said the American, indicating an actor with a wave of his hand, "is taking off his make-up to make-up for another take-off." The German departed, spluttering.—Success

### LUMP SUGAR

Nature's Medicine For Children  
Every mother knows the difficulty of getting her children to take medicines, and appreciates the value of sugar as a means of rendering the dose palatable. A dash of peppermint on a lump of sugar will often cure a stomach ache more effectively than a dose of paragon.

The most stubborn colds, sore throats and bronchial coughs yield promptly to the healing action of a few drops of virgin oil of pine, taken with sugar. This is so pleasant to the taste that the little folks are eager for it and so immediate is its action that any cold that is curable will be completely broken up by it inside of twenty-four hours.

Older folks can use oil of pine to equal advantage. It may be procured at any drug store in sealed half-ounce vials bearing the label of the Leach Chemical Company of Cincinnati, Ohio. Mixed with a couple of ounces of glycerine and a tumbler full of pure whiskey, the contents of one of these vials will keep an entire family free from colds and bronchial troubles for a year.

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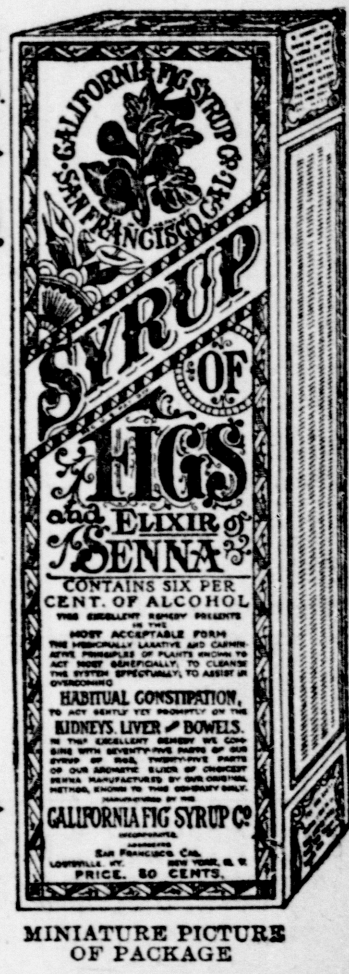
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Printed straight across near the bottom and also in the circle near the top of every package of the genuine; for sale by all leading druggists; regular price 50 cents per bottle.

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MINIATURE PICTURE OF PACKAGE

### BEWARE OF NUTMEG GRATER HANDS

That's just about what your hands will look like, as rough as a nutmeg grater, unless you take care of their present chapped condition.

### QUINCE CREAM

Soothes and heals chapped, roughened and cracked skin. Has valuable antiseptic and soothing properties. You'll look long before you'll find a better lotion.

### THE Mariner Pharmacy

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### UNION EMBEZZLER ARRESTED

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—The local police were notified today of the arrest at Freewater, Oregon, of A. W. Montoux, wanted here on a charge of embezzling \$4,100 from the American Brotherhood of Cement Workers, of which he was an officer. The news of the arrest came in a telegram from Sheriff Taylor of Pendleton county, who stated that Montoux was living under the name of W. A. Van Buren and had purchased an apple orchard.

### Beneficent Work of Nature.

Through the assisted immigration of plants the timber resources of America have been enlarged and its orchards have been rendered more productive and valuable. Grain crops have been made surer and larger and food for domestic animals has become more varied and more satisfactory.

### Geographical Glee.

Milwaukee, to the funnysmith, is but one vat of beer; Chicago is the windy burg, with lots of atmosphere; Sioux Falls, as the divorcee's joy, long since attained renown, and Brooklyn, to the humorist, is baby carriage town.

### Too Ready With Assistance.

Smith—"Goldmore is a very generous old fellow. Do you know, he's always helping somebody out?" Jones (sadly)—"Yes, I know; I was down to see his daughter the other night, and he helped me out, too."—Stray Stories.

Every man knows better than he does.

### LOOK!

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### MINERS HOLD MEETING

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Behind closed doors the members of the scale committee from the three anthracite districts of the United Mine Workers of America, President White and other members of the national organization conferred this afternoon on the situation in the coal fields. The men believe that when the conference with the operators is resumed in March the employees will reject the demands of the men. Because of this it was thought best by White to canvass the situation with the scale committee. Following the meeting, White planned to start for Chicago to confer there with union officials from the bituminous field.

### SAVE THIS

Best Known Recipe for Kidney and Bladder Troubles

Go to any good druggist and get the following: Half ounce fluid extract Buchu; half ounce Murax compound; six ounces of good pure gin; shake well each time and use in doses of one to two teaspoonfuls after each meal and at bed time.

This should be used promptly at the first sign of backache, rheumatic pains, scanty and frequent urination or pains in groin. Prompt attention to these symptoms is necessary to prevent more serious trouble, such as Bright's disease or diabetes.

### FOR YOUR CHILD

I don't use any "eye drops" in my examination, and yet my glasses are correct.

These "poisoned drops" are for diseased eyes.

Eyes that need glasses are not diseased.

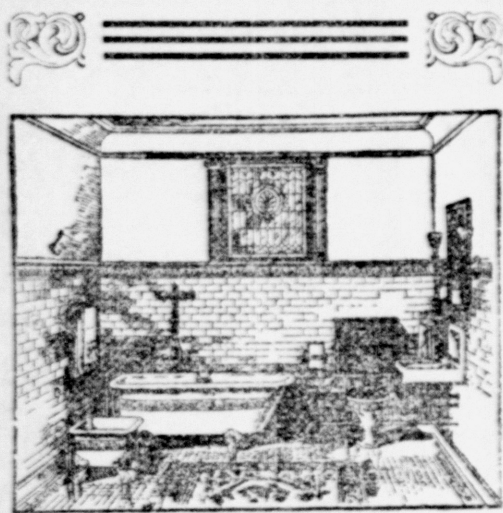
The children that come here have gone home with correct glasses, when they needed them.

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## MALLOY TO MANAGE THE WAUSAU TEAM

Mike Malloy, the speedy outfielder who has played left field on the La Crosse team all year, signed to manage the Wausau league team during the season of 1912, according to information received here today.

Malloy has had experience in piloting baseball teams, as he was at one time manager of the Red Wing club. He is one of the fastest and most clever baserunners in professional ball, a reliable fielder, and although not a slugger, he is a dependable hitter.

It is not known whether or not Mike will play with Wausau in addition to managing the team, but it is likely that he will occupy his old position if occasion demands it. The news that Malloy is to be the new manager of the Wausau club came as a surprise to local fans, as it was not known that Mike was contemplating changing teams.

## COLONEL SORE AT MANAGERS

Roosevelt "Bawls Out" His Gotham Campaign Managers for Secrecy About Supporters

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Colonel Roosevelt assumed charge of his own campaign here today. Arriving at his office in the Outlook, he sent for Oliver C. Carpenter, selected to manage the campaign of the "New York Roosevelt committee" and the latter had a decidedly unpleasant half hour with his new chief. The colonel demanded the reason why the names of the club supporters had been withheld from the public and ordered that they be given out as soon as possible.

Roosevelt then gathered Medill McCormick, Frank Knox, chairman of the Michigan republican state committee, and Senator Joseph Dixon of Montana into a conference. It was understood that he wanted Dixon to assume personal charge of his boom and Knox to take charge of the headquarters to be established in Chicago.

While this conference was in progress William Barnes, Jr., chairman of the republican state committee, was conferring with his lieutenants at republican state headquarters regarding the best method of lining up the state for Taft.

## SONS OF NORWAY ENJOY PROGRAM

Halvard Askeland, Minneapolis, district secretary and organizer of the Sons of Norway spoke at the initiation ceremony of the local branch of that society last night. A program during which selections were rendered by the Normanna Sangerkor; vocal solos by Mr. Askeland and Hjalmar Pederson, president of the local lodge, was given after which the initiation ceremony took place. Following this the Daughters of Norway acted as guests at a banquet in honor of the Sons of Norway. Mr. Askeland left for Westby this morning to take part in the initiation of a class.

## COOKING SCHOOL HELD AT BANGOR

Hundreds Attend Farmers' Institute and Lectures on Cooking by Miss Clift

The farmers' institute and cooking school which was held at Bangor Tuesday and Wednesday, was one of the most successful ever held in La Crosse county. Hundreds of La Crosse county farmers attended the institute and discussed the various phases of agriculture. Several interesting lectures were given by professors of the college of agriculture of the state university.

The cooking school, which was held under the direction of Miss Edith L. Clift, Chicago, proved equally successful, a great deal of interest being displayed by the women. Miss Amelia Hussa was elected to act as chairman of the cooking school.

The Tuesday session was opened by an address by Miss Clift on "meats and vegetables," who demonstrated methods of reducing the high cost of living by using small pieces of meat and other things which are usually thrown away.

Wednesday the chief topic of discussion was the "art of cooking." The people of Bangor have become so highly interested in the work that it has been decided to hold a cooking school again next year and arrangements are being made to procure the services of Miss Clift for the 1913 cooking school.

## HIGGINS DEFENDS WILSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Oratorical bludgeons in defense of Secretary of Agriculture Wilson figuratively whacked the heads of representatives today when Representative Higgins of Connecticut spoke in the house. Higgins walloped Chairman Moss of the house committee investigating the department of agricultural scandal, denying "Tama Jim" is a tool of the great corporations, a corrupt administrator of the law, and the enemy of poor food reform.

## VERNON FARMERS ATTEND INSTITUTE

Three Hundred Farmers Go to Chaseburg Lectures; Convey Advocates Fertilizing

WOMEN AT COOKING SCHOOL Miss Nellie Maxwell Speaks at Opening Session; Plan Bread Contest

One of the largest congregations of the Vernon county farmers in history attended this morning's session of the farmers' institute now being held at Chaseburg's. At this morning's session Mr. Thomas Convey gave an interesting lecture on the necessity of soil conservation and the methods to employ in order to conserve the soil. Chief among the methods advocated by Mr. Convey is fertilizing. It is estimated that 300 Vernon county farmers attended this morning's session.

Owing to the absence of W. F. Stiles, who was to have been in charge of the institute Mr. Jacobs, president of the Wisconsin Dairy-men's association will act in his place and speak on the subjects he was to have lectured upon.

The morning session was opened by a short introductory speech by Mr. George McKerron, who later spoke on bovine tuberculosis and its relation to human tuberculosis.

Women Interested Over 200 women attended the opening of the cooking school which is being held under the direction of Miss Nellie Maxwell, Neenah, this afternoon. "Sanitary and Home Nursing" was the topic discussed by Miss Maxwell at the opening of this afternoon's session.

One of the main features of the cooking school is to be a bread contest to be held tomorrow afternoon. Three flour mills of Chaseburg have each offered a prize for the best loaf of bread made from their respective brands of flour and the three have joined in offering a prize for the best loaf of bread made from any kind of flour. Many women have already signified their intention of taking advantage of the contest.

## DR. WILEY WON'T QUIT

CHIEF OF PURE FOOD BUREAU DENIES THAT HE WILL RESIGN TO RUN FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—"The stories that I am to resign and seek political preferment are manufactured and circulated by anonymous enemies. I cannot fight an enemy in the dark, let him come out in the daylight and I will fight him."

This was the denial today of Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief chemist, of the story that the food champion would resign to try for the vice presidential place on the democratic ticket. Wiley said it came from the same "lobby" that for several weeks has been circulating anonymous attacks, charging that I protected certain baking powder interests.

"I have asked the secretary to lay the matter before congress," Mr. Wiley said today. "I would like to know the identity of this lobby and who is paying its expenses. The charge that I protected certain companies is absolutely false."

## DAVIS WINS SUIT BUT NOT PAPERS

The suit of "Bill" Davis against "Dad" Cary for a writ of replevin for a bill of sale on the furniture and fixtures in the place formerly run by Dick Scott at 114 North Third street, was won by Mr. Davis in Judge C. W. Hunt's court this morning. The judge granted a judgment in favor of the plaintiff for the recovery of the paper. The paper, which is valued at about \$1, was the basis of a suit which was the culmination of a quarrel of long standing between the two men. While the judgment gave the right of possession of the paper to Mr. Davis, he has not as yet come into actual possession of the bill of sale. This was given Attorney C. L. Hood as security for certain claims he held against Mr. Cary, and its present whereabouts is unknown. Mr. Hood says that it is lost "temporarily" and as far as Mr. Davis and the law suit is concerned he is as far as ever from its possession.

## NEED FUNDS FOR SUFFRAGE WORK

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mental in any way to the home, the state or the nation? Women will make mistakes; so will men, sometimes.

To all the above named people and to everybody not named, the equal suffragists appeal for help; join their clubs and make generous contributions.

Local clubs have been formed or will be formed with the proper officers empowered to accept all contributions that may be offered and may there be many.

CARRIE P. DANIELS.  
La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 29, 1912.

MEETING POSTPONED  
The special meeting of the council which was called for this evening for the consideration of the water question was postponed indefinitely by Mayor John Dengler today.

**THE TIME and Place to buy shoes is now and at our store, when we are giving you more real values than any store in La Crosse. Just think of buying Shoes at \$1.45, \$1.85 and \$2.45 and \$2.85, that sold at regular prices \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$4 and \$4.50. Do you wonder why this store is so busy all the time? It's the real values that you get when you buy here that makes you come again.**

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At J. E. Willing's Store  
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## BRITAIN FEARS STRIKE

NO HOPE OF STOPPING COAL MINERS' STRIKE; WILL BE CALLED TONIGHT AT MIDNIGHT

LONDON, Feb. 29.—Despite the optimistic attitude assumed for public consumption, no effort was made today by the British cabinet to disguise its apprehension over the coal miners' strike situation. A special cabinet meeting began shortly before noon at which the entire matter was to be gone over. If possible a final plan was to be adopted to end the strike soon after its inception.

The general strike order goes into effect at 12 o'clock tonight. Unless countermanded every union miner in the United Kingdom will throw down his tools.

The union officials sent word to Premier Asquith that no terms would be acceptable unless a minimum wage scale was fixed for each district. So far as the government's promise that such scale would be guaranteed by a law to be enacted was concerned, the premier was told this would be all right but the men would strike until the legislation became a reality.

The government was busy today trying to influence the operators to accept the inevitable. It was pointed out that if the demanded concessions were made apparently voluntarily to the men, the position of the employers would be much stronger than if they were eventually forced to submit to legislative coercion.

## GETS THIRTY DAYS

"If being hungry is a crime, I'm a criminal," was the dogged reply of Henry Wilson, when charged with vagrancy before Judge Brindley this morning.

"I've been unable to get work, and haven't any money," continued Wilson and pleaded guilty to the charge. Wilson was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail.

## YUAN'S SOLDIERS MUTINY

PEKIN, Feb. 29.—Because they have not been paid and are dissatisfied with the abrupt surrender of the government, hundreds of President Yuan Shi Kai's soldiers revolted this evening. They wrecked many establishments in the native section and paraded the streets firing their rifles and threatening vengeance on all of the officials. The situation is grave. Orders have been issued to the troops remaining loyal to put down the revolt and serious fighting is expected.

## WHAT TIME IS IT?

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## RURAL SCHOOL IS A LAGGARD

Speaker at Teachers' Council Declares that Country Schools Are Neglected and Poor

HE ADVISES SOCIAL CENTERS Declares that Civic Life of Red Schoolhouse Will Improve Government and Social Life

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Feb. 29.—It is conceded that the rural school is the one laggard in the educational procession. Of the 12,000,000 rural school children, less than 25 per cent are completing the work of grades. The teaching boy is immature and lacks proper training. Terms are too short. School buildings are poor, unsanitary and ill-equipped, and the school enrollment is constantly decreasing.

With these statements as a starting point, E. T. Fairchild, state superintendent of public instruction of Kansas, today severely arraigned the rural school system of the country, in an address before the national education council, held here yesterday in conjunction with the meeting of the superintendents department of the national educational associations.

"The strong, virile rural school of a generation ago has gone and in its place is a primary school, weak in number and lacking in efficiency," Fairchild declared. "The country boy and girl of the strenuous and complex twentieth century are not afforded equal educational opportunities."

Upholds Social Center "Back to the civil and social life of the old red weather-boarded schoolhouse," was cry sounded by Prof. Edward J. Ward of the University of Wisconsin. He enumerated the following national evils which he declared the social center movement would tend to eradicate:

Misgovernment in place of intelligent efficiency.  
Dissipation in place of constructive use of leisure recreation.

Class feeling in place of peace, social order and public spirit.

"It is only through the use of the school building as a civic center—that is, through its use as a citizen's council chamber, a legislative assembly place that this common institution can serve America's greatest need in the development of a positive consciousness of democracy," Ward declared. "The public school as simply an education center for the child does not and cannot produce 'good citizenship.'"

## ABE IS SORE AT JEFF

FORMER FEATHERWEIGHT TITLE HOLDER PEEVED WHEN JEFFRIES DENIES HE SENT FIGHT PROTEST

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Feb. 29.—Abe Attell, defeated featherweight champion, was furious today when told that James J. Jeffries had sent a telegram to James Coffroth here denying that he had said Attell got the worst of the decision in his recent fight with Johnny Kilbane at Los Angeles. Jeffries' message intimated that if a telegram went to Coffroth the night after the fight signed with Jeffries' name some one used his name without authority.

Jeffries has now gone on record as declaring that the decision of Referee Eylon making Kilbane champion was just and that Attell "should not squeal now."

Attell threatens to sue Jeffries in order to make the big heavyweight withdraw his intimation that some one had forged his name. Abe professes to see in this intimation a charge that Attell himself did the forging. He insists that Jeffries did send a message to Coffroth the night after the Kilbane fight, protesting against awarding the decision to Kilbane. Abe said several sporting writers were present when Jeffries filed the message.

## ARCHIE HAS GOUT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 29.—Major Archie Butt, U. S. A., aide de camp and familiar of two presidents, the most photographed man in the United States and more popular than a matinee idol, fears he has the gout. The major today filed a physicians' certificate of disability and was granted two months' leave with permission to go "beyond the seas." Butts' constant duty at receptions, dinners, dances and all varieties of social functions, in addition to the long trips which he has taken with Taft, have undermined his health.

## DIXON, T. R.'S MANAGER

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—That United States Senator Joseph Dixon of Montana will manage the Roosevelt campaign was considered certain today. The senator conferred at great length with Roosevelt and later lunched with him. It was understood that Roosevelt finally overcame the senator's hesitation and that the latter will announce tonight that he has agreed to manage the campaign for Roosevelt.

## BINGHAM BETTER

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Feb. 29.—Congressman H. H. Bingham, "Father of the house," who has been ill with heart disease, is greatly improved today, according to his physician.

## Harmony Rose Soap

In Harmony Rose Glycerine Soap you get for 25 cents one and one-half pounds of as fine a soap as is manufactured.

Half-pound bars 10c; 3 for 25c.

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## HUMPHREYS HEARS STREET CAR MEN

Confers with Committee and with Officials of the Company; Discuss Schedules

In an effort to find a solution to the problem that is confronting the motormen and conductors and officials of the street car company in the matter of time schedules, John Humphrey of the state industrial commission, held a conference with the employees' committee last night and another one with Peter Valier, superintendent of the company today. The time schedules was the question under discussion at both conferences.

"It is impossible for me to make any statement of the results of my investigation thus far," said Mr. Humphrey today "and it will require further investigation on my part before I will be able to make any suggestions or recommendation. I conferred with the men last night and with Mr. Valier this morning. The question of schedules was the only matter discussed. It is my belief that we will be able to arrive at some satisfactory solution to the problem in the near future."

It is probable that Mr. Humphrey will leave La Crosse tomorrow to attend a meeting in Milwaukee. He is awaiting word from the commission in regard to the matter. In case the commission orders him to go he will return to La Crosse in the near future to continue the investigation.

## FRENCH AUTO THIEVES

DISCOVERED BLOWING SAFE IN CITY TREASURER OFFICE, THEY ESCAPE AFTER BATTLE

PARIS, Feb. 29.—Auto bandits, believed to be the same band who on Tuesday killed a policeman who tried to stop them at the St. Lazare station, operated at Pontoise early today and a fierce battle with automatic pistols in the dark followed. They were discovered in the city treasurer's office at Pontoise by a gendarme. The men were working on the safe preparing to blow it open with nitro-glycerine. The official summoned assistance and an attempt was made to surround the building. The lookout for the men saw the officers and fired on them. They returned fire bullets and a general fusillade followed, during which the robbers escaped from the building. A few minutes later they got into their car and disappeared in the direction of this city.

Today a partially burned automobile was found alongside the road. It is believed to have been the one the thieves used to escape in and also the one in which the murderers got away Tuesday night.

## PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Westbound Rock Island passenger train No. 56 was wrecked three miles west of Hopkinsville, Ill., and five coaches derailed, according to a statement at the headquarters here. Four passengers were slightly injured by the shock of the derailment. All it is said, were able to continue their journey. The accident was caused by a broken rail.

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We have added a number of new lines of goods to those previously offered in our Great After-Inventory Sale of Hardware and Housefurnishing Goods and are offering them at prices that cannot fail to impress you as being real Money Savers.

## HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR NEW BARGAINS:

Genuine Imported Purity Enameled Ware, made by Stransky & Co.	
Preserving Kettles with wooden handles, regular price 50c.....	now 30c
Preserving Kettles with wooden handles, regular price 60c.....	now 40c
Preserving Kettles with wooden handles, regular price 70c.....	now 50c
Preserving Kettles with wooden handles, regular price 90c.....	now 65c
Preserving Kettles with wooden handles, regular price \$1.35.....	now 90c
Tea Pots, regular price 85c.....	now 60c
Tea Pots, regular price 90c.....	now 65c
Tea Pots, regular price \$1.20.....	now 85c
Stew Kettles with cover, regular price 60c.....	now 45c
Stew Kettles with cover, regular price \$1.00.....	now 60c
Milk Pans, regular price 25c.....	now 17c
Milk Pans, regular price 30c.....	now 22c
Milk Pans, regular price 35c.....	now 25c
Shino Chemical Dust Cloth, absorbs both dust and germs. Regular price 25c.....	now 15c
Rice Root and Fibre Scrubbing Brushes, each.....	8c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Bean Pots, regular 20c.....	now 16c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Bean Pots, regular 25c.....	now 20c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Bean Pots, regular 35c.....	now 25c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Mixing Bowls, regular 25c.....	now 17c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Mixing Bowls, regular 40c.....	now 25c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Round Covered Casseroles, reg. 65c.....	now 40c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Round Covered Casseroles, reg. 75c.....	now 55c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Oval Covered Casseroles, reg. 50c.....	now 35c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Oval Covered Casseroles, reg. 75c.....	now 50c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Oval Covered Casseroles, reg. \$1.25.....	now 95c
Weller Brown Earthen Ware, Oval Covered Casseroles, reg. \$1.50.....	now \$1.10
Tin Serving Trays.....	5c
Nickel Plated Serving Trays.....	7c
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"When my baby was four months old his face broke out with eczema, and at sixteen months of age, his face, hands and arms were in a dreadful state. The eczema spread all over his body. We had to put a mask or cloth over his face and tie up his hands. Finally we gave him Hood's Sarsaparilla and in a few months he was entirely cured. Today he is a healthy boy." Mrs. Inez Lewis, Baring, Maine. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures blood diseases and builds up the system. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.

### Announcement

Owing to urgent request by many of my patients, I will until further notice make calls on patients when desired.

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### DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back the Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

When gray hairs come, or when the hair seems to be lifeless or dead, some good, reliable hair-restoring treatment should be resorted to at once. Specialists say that one of the best preparations to use is the old-fashioned "sage tea" which our grandparents used. The best preparation of this kind is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, a preparation of domestic sage and sulphur, scientifically compounded with later discovered hair tonics and stimulants, the whole mixture being carefully balanced and tested by experts.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur is clean and wholesome and perfectly harmless. It refreshes dry, parched hair, removes dandruff and gradually restores faded or gray hair to its natural color.

Don't delay another minute. Start using Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur at once and see what a difference a few days' treatment will make in your hair.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special Agent, O. T. Erhart, 518 Main street.

### KNOX INSPECTS CANAL

PANAMA, Feb. 29.—Secretary of State Knox left today on his inspection tour of the entire canal route. Escorted by members of the engineering corps the party proceeded by special train, stopping at each point of interest. The secretary was especially interested in the Gatun dam work.

### He Won't Limp Now

No more limping for Tom Moore of Cochran, Ga. "I had a bad sore on my instep that nothing seemed to help till I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve," he writes, "but this wonderful healer soon cured me." Heals old, running sores, ulcers, boils, burns, cuts, bruises, eczema or piles. Try it. Only 25 cents at O. T. Erhart.

### SEED CORN MAY FAIL TO GROW

Germination Tests Show that Nearly Half of the Samples Are Not Fertile

### BALMER SEEKS GOOD SEED

Farm School Officials Search County for Grain in Good Condition

A recent germination test of seed corn at the agricultural school emphasized the fact that much of the seed corn that has been selected this year will fail to grow. A great number of samples that have been tested did not test more than 50 per cent, and one sample tested as low as only 11 per cent.

Those in charge of the agricultural school have decided upon a plan to effectively bring this matter to the attention of the farmers. Yesterday Mr. Balmer spent the day in Washington township and Mr. Morris in Greenfield township collecting samples of seed corn to be tested for the farmers. The corn has been put under test and the test will be taken out to the farmers at two meetings, one to be held for the farmers of Greenfield township at the town hall, Friday afternoon and evening, March 8, and the following day, March 9, at Washington township, Saturday afternoon and evening. Of the samples collected yesterday, note was taken of the time the farmer selected the seed corn, how it was cured and stored, so the farmers will have an opportunity to learn from actual conditions the best time to select and the best manner to cure and select their corn.

At these meetings, corn growing in all its phases is to be considered. The improvement of corn by good seed, the attention of cultivation and the betterment of silage and also the matter of constructing concrete silos. Many other matters will be included in the program of the meetings, which will be announced soon.

All the farmers visited were very much interested in the matter of the seed situation and it is believed by those at the county agricultural school that if the farmers will give attention to the seed corn situation and plant corn that they are certain will grow, no doubt it will be possible to increase their yield 25 per cent.

### BLIZZARD HITS DENVER

THIRD STORM IN TEN DAYS STRIKES WEST; ALL RAILWAY TRAFFIC TIED UP

DENVER, Colo., Feb. 29.—Another snowstorm which is expected to develop into a duplicate of last year's blizzard, struck Denver yesterday, making the third storm in ten days. The storm came from the northwest and government weather bureau predicted a drop in temperature to below the zero mark and a high wind during the night.

At noon a light snow was falling, about one inch having fallen earlier in the day. A number of passenger trains throughout the state are already stalled as the result of last week's storm, and it is feared another heavy storm would make it impossible to move them for a week. Within three hours five Union Pacific trains arrived—all having been Tuesday. The Santa Fe and Colorado and Southern are fighting enormous snowdrifts in southern Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas and the big rotary plows have difficulty in penetrating.

## A Genuine Cotton Felt Mattress

With Fancy Tick and Roll Edge.



\$9.00 value, sale price	\$8.00 value, plain edge
<b>\$6.00</b>	<b>\$5.75</b>

If you don't need it now, pay a little down and we will hold it and deliver later.

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Moral: Less expense with lower prices.

## A FEARLESS PRICE-CUTTING SALE



## Do You Want To Make Some Money Right Now?

### If So, Attend Nelson's Advance Sale on Furniture, Rugs, Lace Curtains and Stoves

This has been a cold winter, so cold that people would not come out to trade. Consequently it has made business very dull; we are anxious to get business, and to do so shall quote some very low prices. It will pay you to anticipate your wants now, and we will be glad to hold the goods for you until you want them. The prices quoted are for SPOT CASH, and we pay the freight on any purchase of \$5.00 or more. These prices are good up to March 18, 1912.

Any Piece of Furniture that:		ANY RUG THAT.		Lace Curtains by the pair or Lace Cur-	
Sold for	Sale Price	Sold for	Sale Price	tain Goods by the yard.	
\$50.00	now at \$37.50	\$45.00	now at \$38.25	25c per yard	17½c
\$45.00	now at \$33.75	\$42.00	now at \$35.70	35c per yard	28c
\$40.00	now at \$30.00	\$40.00	now at \$34.00	40c per yard	32c
\$35.00	now at \$26.25	\$37.50	now at \$31.85	50c per yard	40c
\$30.00	now at \$22.50	\$35.00	now at \$29.75	65c per yard	52c
\$27.50	now at \$20.60	\$30.00	now at \$25.50	75c per yard	60c
\$25.00	now at \$18.75	\$27.50	now at \$23.35	85c per yard	68c
\$22.50	now at \$16.85	\$25.00	now at \$21.25	\$1.00 per yard	80c
\$20.00	now at \$15.00	\$22.50	now at \$19.00	\$1.25 per yard	\$1.00
\$18.00	now at \$13.50	\$20.00	now at \$17.00	\$1.50 per yard	\$1.20
\$15.00	now at \$11.25	\$18.00	now at \$15.25	Lace Curtains per pair:	
\$12.00	now at \$9.00	\$17.00	now at \$14.45	\$7.50	\$6.00
\$10.00	now at \$7.50	\$15.00	now at \$12.75	\$6.00	\$4.80
\$9.00	now at \$6.75	\$13.50	now at \$11.45	\$5.00	\$4.00
\$7.50	now at \$5.60	\$12.00	now at \$10.25	\$4.50	\$3.60
\$6.00	now at \$4.50	\$10.50	now at \$8.95	\$4.00	\$3.20
\$4.50	now at \$3.40	\$9.00	now at \$7.65	\$3.50	\$2.80
\$3.00	now at \$2.25	\$7.50	now at \$6.35	\$3.00	\$2.40
\$2.50	now at \$1.90	\$6.00	now at \$5.10	\$2.50	\$2.00
\$2.00	now at \$1.50	\$5.00	now at \$4.25	\$2.25	\$1.80
\$1.50	now at \$1.10	\$4.50	now at \$3.80	\$2.00	\$1.60
		\$2.50	now at \$2.00	\$1.75	\$1.40
				\$1.50	\$1.20
				\$1.25	\$1.00
				\$1.00	80c
				80c	64c
				50c	40c

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**NELSON'S**

206-208 Main Street

### RUSHFORD, MINN.

A somewhat peculiar epidemic is going the rounds of the younger children of this city and several are seriously ill. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Odegaard is one of the victims, also a son of Mr. and Mrs. George James. In some respects the sickness resembles winter cholera, the children being taken ill very suddenly.

The Chilson cottage on Maple avenue will be occupied in a few days by the family of Mr. D. Hughes as the property they now occupy has been bought by Ole Glenna, who is now moving his household effects into the city from the old homestead. Mrs. Hughes is at present caring for the household of a sister near Winona, a Mrs. Simon, who lately went to Rochester for an operation.

Theodore Anderson, who has been at choice several weeks at the home of his brother, Ed Anderson, is again home.

Mr. George McKay and brother, William McKay of Orient, S. D., are guests at the home of their mother, Mrs. Isabelle McKay of Hart.

All the clerks of H. M. Smith's department store and a number of other people, in all numbering nearly twenty, were most royally entertained at a luncheon given at the hospitable home of Rev. Jaastad and family last Friday evening.

The choir of Emmanuel Episcopal church met at the home of their organist, Miss Essie Lampman last Sunday evening in preparation for the visit to this parish next Tuesday of Bishop Edsall. It was thought impossible at first for the Bishop to come owing to a sudden attack of illness, but later a telegram was received to the effect that, barring further unexpected complications, he would fill the appointment as first promised, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Smith have returned from their Chicago trip.

Three sisters of Mr. Herman Olsen, whose homes are at Madison, Wis., and Spring Grove, Minn., are the guests this week of Mr. Olsen and family.

Beginning with next month the three department stores of the city will return to the former time of evening closing at 8 p. m., except Saturday evenings, when they will remain open until 9 p. m. During the months of January and February they have closed at 6:30 p. m.

Mrs. Whitlock of Dakota, Minn., is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James McDonald, on the south side.

Mrs. McDonald, who suffered a long illness from pleurisy and pneumonia this winter, is again able to be about.

The silver medal contest held last Friday evening at the high school building called out a good sized audience which, though perhaps lacking somewhat in numbers, fully made up the deficiency by its enthusiasm. The program was opened by a beautiful selection on the piano, trombone, cornet and violin by Miss Brinsmaid.

Mr. W. Baerman, Fred Larson and another gentleman, after which the seven boys who were contesting for the medal, gave their orations. The seven youngsters were Archie Shrivens, Harris Engh, John Johnson, Arvid Dahl, Elvin Halverson, Herbert Haas and Einar Strumness.

The judges were Mrs. Sanford, Rev. George Stanley and Mrs. Cox. After due deliberation as to delivery, enunciation, expression, etc., the judges decided that Master Elvin Halverson had won the prize by his selection entitled, "The Two Glasses."

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Otis, who returned from Montana last fall, have leased the farm formerly occupied by the Pettis brothers and will take possession in a few weeks. The Pettis family have moved to a farm near Lewiston.

Mrs. Sanford was a La Crosse visitor last Saturday.

A basket sociable will be held at the Bratsberg school house Thursday evening, February 29.

The Eleanor Concert company found a fully occupied opera house awaiting them upon their appearance at Nelson's Opera house last Tuesday evening. The entertainment was fully up to expectations and was the third appearance of the young ladies here. Miss Esther Pederson, a former Rushford girl, who was with the

Misses Olsen when they played here a year ago, is not with them, her place being filled this season by Miss Waldon. Miss Ethel Olsen has few equals upon the stage as a mimic and her monologues bring a round of applause that rattles the windows. Miss Eleanor's voice is one of exceptional purity and sweetness, which, too, coupled with a clear, distinct pronunciation, renders her singing a long remembered delight.

Mrs. Davis of South Rushford is spending a few weeks at the home of Mrs. Crampton and her daughter Emma in this city.

Mr. O. E. Mueller, residing on the former August Baerman farm east of

### IN AFRICA



Monkey: "If he gets it we are safe for four years anyway."



## Poehling's Friday and Saturday Bargains

**BED SPREADS**  
Full size white bed spreads, hemmed ready for use, at sale each ..... **\$1.00**

**SHIRT WAISTS**  
Tailored waists, all sizes, plain or embroidered fronts, at this sale each ..... **95c**

**Children's Night Gowns**  
Outing gowns for children from 13-17 years, this sale. **39c**

**PETTICOATS**  
Muslin petticoats, regular size, well made, at each.... **50c**

**SHEETS**  
Regular 2 1/4 yard by 2 1/2 yard heavy even thread sheets, 90c value, at this sale each ..... **69c**

**MUSLIN NIGHT GOWNS**  
Ladies' night gowns, cut good and full, at each ..... **50c**

**WINTER CLOAKS AT \$3.75 AND UP**  
Are you interested? If so, you can save money on what we have left. They must be sold. **\$3.75 and up.**

**POEHLING'S COR. 4TH AND MAIN**

### SPLIT IN ARMY THREATENED



WASHINGTON.—As an outcome of the long smothered ill feeling brought to a crisis by the Hay bill, a split in the army is threatened more critical than any quarrel since the collision between General Miles and General Egan. Major General F. C. Ainsworth, adjutant general of the army and with one exception its ranking officer, is the storm center, and may, as a result of his recent note criticizing the war department, be brought to court martial and retired.

He is now virtually under arrest, as he has received instructions to remain in Washington, and has been relieved of further duties. The ill feeling is between Major General Ainsworth and General Leonard Wood, chief of staff primarily.

Secretary of War Stimson has sided with General Wood. Representative Hay, chairman of the committee on military affairs, and author of the army reorganization bill, champions the side of General Ainsworth.

Politics forms no small part of the trouble and the fight will be a bitter one, in which congress will undoubtedly take a hand.

**Advice From Kingly Busy Body.**  
"Oh, my! Your house has an odor of burning milk. Don't you know how to avoid that?" asked the K. B. B. "I didn't think it was so terrible. I'm sure. Everybody has accidents of that kind," said the woman she was visiting rather irritably.  
"Now it's all right, of course, I don't mind it, my dear, but next time just sprinkle some salt on the stove at once after the milk is spilled and you will avoid that unpleasant odor."  
He who is firm in will molds the world to himself.—Goethe.

### INTRODUCE RECORDS

JUDGE CARPENTER WILL ALLOW EVIDENCE CONCERNING NATIONAL PACKERS' MEETINGS

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Records of all the transactions agreements and business in general transacted at the meetings of the directorate of the National Packing company may be introduced as evidence in the trial of the packers, as tending to sustain the charge of unlawful conspiracy, according to a decision rendered by Judge Carpenter. The decision is regarded by District Attorney Wilkerson as the most important victory yet won by the government in the prosecution of the meat combine. The objection of the lawyers for the packers, that these meetings were legitimate meetings of the board engaged in the ordinary course of business, was overruled by Judge Carpenter who said: "In view of the proof that these defendants were operating other concerns, their gatherings on a common ground as directors of this corporation may become a vital part of the case."

Attorney Wilkerson then announced that a large part of the records of the directors' meetings of the National company would be introduced as evidence. Among these records, the prosecutor said, will be documentary proof corroborating the statements of witnesses that the defendants not only discussed prices which the concern of which they were acting as directors would charge for meats, but they also reviewed and considered the memorandum costs and profit margins gathered by the National's agents as to the business of the other companies.

**Primitive Race.**  
In the more inaccessible parts of the Sierra Madre mountains in northern Mexico live a curious people called the Tarahumaras. Many of them dwell in caves, but they have also small villages, all of them about 8,000 feet above sea level. The Tarahumaras are small in body, but possessed of much endurance. Their only food is maize, and they manufacture a drink called teshuin from the same cereal. Their language is limited to about 300 words, and they cannot count beyond ten.

**Ray-Killed Bacteria.**  
A method for sterilizing milk without heating or adding preservatives is claimed to have been effectively demonstrated recently in Holland. An apparatus has been constructed, it is explained, whereby the milk flows in a thin stream along an electric light, the ultra-violet beams working on the bacteria. The result is attributed to the quality of the ozone formed under the influence of the light.—The Argonaut.

**Japs Prone to Suicide.**  
There are more suicides in Japan, in proportion to its population, than in any other country in the world.

### NORTHWEST NEWS

#### LICENSE QUESTION TO BE DECIDED

LANESBORO, Minn., Feb. 29.—Here is a peculiar legal proposition, which has been put up to the attorney general's department by M. W. Williams of Lanesboro, secretary of the Fillmore County Business Men's association:

Last year Lanesboro voted no license to saloons.

Another vote on the question is to be taken March 12, this year.

Three applications for license are now being published, the said applications to be considered at 7 o'clock, the night of March 12—election day, by the city council.

Question.—If Lanesboro votes "wet" will the published notices be legal, and can the city council grant the licenses and allow the saloons to open for business the very night of election?

Lanesboro is the home of Congressman Sydney A. Anderson, the conqueror of Jim Tawney.

#### MINING COMPANY CLAIMS HOLD UP

HIBBING, Minn., Feb. 29.—The Oliver Mining company has filed an answer to the injunction proceedings instituted in the district court here by Mrs. Kate Liens to prevent mining in the Hurt & Sellers mines near her home, which brought about a suspension of all winter work by the company in this district.

The answer makes general denial of the allegations contained in Mrs. Liens' petition for the injunction. The chief feature of the answer is the assertion by the company that the proceedings are prompted by a desire in certain quarters to force the company to buy extensive tracts of property at alleged exorbitant prices. The arguments upon making the temporary restraining order permanent will be heard by Judge Hughes here in chambers March 9.

#### CHASEBURG MAN IS FOUND DEAD

RED WING, Minn., Feb. 29.—The body of an unidentified man, believed by letters found on his person to be Bart Larson of Chaseburg, Wis., was found dead on the St. Paul railroad tracks near the stone works last evening by a track walker. The man had been struck by a train and instantly killed.

#### KNEW HIM AND LOVED HIM

Dr. Courtenay, Mutilated Veteran of the Confederate Army, as He Was in Tiptah.

Dr. Courtenay entered the Confederate army as a surgeon, and after the surrender found himself without home, family, or fortune. His right coat-sleeve dangled empty; the hand that had saved so many lives could not save itself. It had been amputated after Gettysburg, and the story goes that Lee himself—the name is always pronounced slowly and reverently in Tiptah—had said, "I wish I could give my hand to save yours, doctor." Another loss, equally grave, but less conspicuous, was that of his left lung. It was this trouble that had brought him to Tiptah's mild climate, for nearly 20 years he had lived there alone in his three-room cottage, riding out every day to his little farm, five miles from town, and reading and smoking far into the night. His library was the wonder of Tiptah. Books in five languages lined the walls of his house—all in the cheapest bindings, for the doctor was poor; but, as he used to say, it was the meat in the nut he cared for, not the shell outside. He never practiced medicine, except occasionally among persons too poor to pay for medical advice, or, more frequently, in serious cases when called in consultation. It was known that he had never taken a fee in Tiptah. Every one believed implicitly in his skill. It was a common thing to hear it said, after a death, "Nothing could have saved him; Dr. Courtenay said so."—Lillian Kirk Hammond in the Atlantic.

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That those who are seeking health and strength for themselves, children, relatives or friends may experience the life-giving properties of this exclusive Norway gold medal emulsion—OZO MULSION—being most palatable and easy to take—a generous 3-oz. bottle will be sent by mail to those who send address by postcard or letter to OZOMULSION, 548 Pearl St., N. Y.

### WISCONSIN NEWS

#### COUNCIL ACTIVE ON DANCE HALLS

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 29.—An agitation has been started in Eau Claire by one of the local papers for the licensing and regulation of public dances and public dance halls, particularly with reference to the attendance at such dances by girls of tender years. The city council, which is a commission plan body, has taken the matter in hand and has drawn up an ordinance licensing the public dance halls, and will also adopt stringent regulations. Before taking final action as to regulations, the council will first investigate conditions and methods in other cities as to the regulation of these places.

#### INTER-COUNTY ROAD MEET TO BE HELD

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 29.—It has been announced by John Hazelwood of Jefferson, chairman, that a meeting of the Wisconsin highway commission will be held during the middle of March, when the intercounty disputes concerning connecting roads will be considered. In the extensive highway improvement planned with the assistance of the state appropriation, several counties have been unable to select roads suitable for inter-county traffic.

#### COEDS ELECT GIRLS FOR COMING YEAR

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 29.—A Montana girl, Miss Belle Figelman, has been elected by University of Wisconsin women as president of the Self-Government association. Miss Dorothy C. Lenroot of Superior, a daughter of Congressman I. L. Lenroot, was the choice for secretary. Miss Figelman, whose home is at Helena, is a junior and Miss Lenroot is a sophomore. Both are extremely popular among the Wisconsin coeds.

#### INTERURBAN LINE TO BE LAID SOON

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 29.—There is a strong probability that the Chippewa Valley Railway, Light and Power company of this city will this build its projected interurban line from Eau Claire to Altoona. Some directors of the company are in favor of carrying out the work this year and it is likely that they will prevail.

#### SPARKS START BLAZE

ATTLEBORO, Mass., Feb. 29.—Fire, believed to have been caused by sparks from locomotives today destroyed the lumber yards of C. A. Pullen and Company in South Attleboro. Loss \$175,000.

#### QUEEREST PRISON IN WORLD

Arizona County Jail is Blasted Out of a Mountain of Solid Quartz Rock.

When the authorities of Graham county, Arizona, decided to look about for a place in which to confine criminals, they found a natural depression in the side of a hill. This was enlarged into what might be called an artificial cave, divided into four compartments. The cave was excavated parallel to the side of the mountain in which it was made, and daylight admitted by holes blown out of the wall with explosives, the windows being guarded by a network of heavy steel bars. The entrance to the depression was also closed in the same manner, and a vestibule or porch of masonry built out from it to provide quarters for the sheriff and his assistants. This vestibule is also divided into compartments, which are connected by gates of steel bars. The only way of entering the prison is through the vestibule of masonry, and in order to escape the inmates would have to cut their way through three sets of bars which are an inch in thickness, as the windows are so high up above the rock forming the floor of the cells that they could not reach them. It is necessary, however, to have a very secure place, as the criminals in this part of the country are of a most desperate class, and the inmates frequently include murderers and highwaymen. The mountain which has thus been turned into a prison is composed of solid quartz rock, and the excavation was made principally by the use of explosives. The jail is located in the town of Clifton, the county seat.—Wide World Magazine.

**Foolish.**  
The man who goes into court merely to obtain satisfaction is about as foolish as the one who exhausts himself in trying to go through the world on a bluff.

**Must Have Been Her Lucky Day.**  
In a lot of old papers and magazines that Mrs. T. G. Payson gave to the Salvation army of Jersey City the other day was an envelope containing \$225 in bills that Mrs. Payson had overlooked. After 20 men had searched for hours in the army's waste paper pile, Mrs. Payson looking on, the money was found and restored to her.

**As Yet Inexperienced.**  
The husband who has not yet learned to wear a smile over an aching heart still has rice in his pockets.—Exchange.

## IF YOU CAN'T GET YOUR STOMACH REGULATED, EAT A FEW DIAEPSIN

Time it! In five minutes there will be no Indigestion, Sourness, Heartburn, Gas or Dyspepsia.



You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diaepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; it's harmless; it's certain unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. It's millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over. Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diaepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who haven't tried it.

#### ROCHESTER SCORED FOR LAX METHODS

ROCHESTER, Minn., Feb. 29.—Rochester learned some cold facts last night at a public meeting when W. O. Chamberlain of the Minnesota State Fire Prevention association scored the city for its condition for the prevention of fires, and the laxity with which the citizens exercised any judgment in the matter. Alleys and public buildings were condemned alike, and warning was given that unless the property owners took prompt action to remedy present conditions the state law would be brought into play.

**First Requisite.**  
Nobody ever taught well who did not love to teach.—Munsey's Magazine.

#### MACARONI EATERS ALWAYS HEALTHY

Some of the healthiest men and women in La Crosse are great eaters of "Minnesota" macaroni and spaghetti. Many people who never cared for these foods before are delighted with the rich, nut-like flavor of "Minnesota" macaroni and spaghetti and it is surprising how much better a family will feel by eating more of these foods and less meat. Good Macaroni and spaghetti are the best and most nourishing foods known. They are fine for children—making their bodies strong and healthy. But if you want that rich, nut-like flavor be sure and get the delicious "Minnesota" brand macaroni or spaghetti—made from the finest Northern Durum wheat, with all the nourishing gluten left in. It is easily digested and never gets soggy. All good La Crosse grocers sell it.

#### BRYAN WARNS CLARK AGAINST HARMON

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 29.—In today's Commoner Mr. Bryan warns Champ Clark against any alliance with Harmon. He says: "The press reports may be doing Speaker Clark an injustice but if it is true that his managers are seeking alliance with the Harmon forces wherever necessary to defeat the Wilson supporters, they should be reminded of the risk they run. The line between the progressive and the standpatter is so clearly drawn that a standpatter does not appeal to a standpatter. It always excites suspicion, therefore, when standpatters begin to flock to one who is running as a progressive. Mr. Clark's literature appeals to progressives and his natural alliance with Governor Wilson's friends. Progressives should fight shoulder to shoulder against the reactionary democrats."

**"Dad."**  
"Dad" and "daddy" were well known in this country in the sixteenth century; "papa" did not come in, borrowed from abroad, until the seventeenth century was well advanced. Florida, at the end of the former century, defined the Italian "pappa" as "the first word that children are taught to call their father, as ours say 'dad,' 'daddy' or 'bab.' " "Dad" seems to be the commoner to mankind of the two. Nautilus in the "Odyssey" calls her father "pappa phile," dear papa; but Greek has "tata," also, and Welsh has "tat," and Irish "dadd."

**Valuable Invention.**  
A man in East India has invented an electric pen that carbonizes the sheet of paper over which it passes.

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We have been in business in this town for some time, and we are looking to build up trade by always advising our patrons right.

So when we tell you that we have found the eczema remedy and that we stand back of it with the manufacturer's iron clad guarantee, backed by ourselves you can depend upon it that we give our advice not in order to sell a few bottles of medicine to skin sufferers, but because we know how it will help our business if we help our patrons.

We keep in stock and sell, all the well known skin remedies. But we will say this: If you are suffering from any kind of skin trouble, eczema, psoriasis, rash or better, we want you to try a full size bottle of D. D. D. Prescription. And, if it does not do the work, this bottle will cost you nothing. You alone to judge.

Again and again we have seen how a few drops of this simple wash applied to the skin, takes away the itch, instantly. And the cures all seem to be permanent.

D. D. D. Prescription made by the D. D. D. Laboratories of Chicago, is composed of thymol, glycerine, oil of wintergreen and other healing, soothing, cooling ingredients. And if you are just crasy with itch, you will feel soothed and cooled, the itch absolutely washed away the moment you applied this D. D. D.

We have made fast friends of more than one family by recommending this remedy to a skin sufferer here and there and we want you to try it now on our positive no-pay guarantee.

Columbian Drug Store, Hoeschler.

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One way Colonist to California points ..... **\$31.75**  
Washington, Oregon and intermediate .. **\$27.65**  
On sale March 1st to April 15th, inclusive.

Settlers' One-way Tickets to Alberta, Manitoba, Montana, North Dakota and Saskatchewan.  
On sale each Tuesday, March 12th to April 30th, inclusive.

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On sale March 5th and 19th. Good for return within twenty-five days from date of sale.

Any call for information at Pearl St. ticket office is appreciated.

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Makes the Hair Grow Long, Heavy and Luxuriant and We Can Quickly Prove It

If You Wish to Double the Beauty of Your Hair at Once, Just Get a 25 Cent Bottle and Try This

Surely try a Danderine Hair Cleanse if you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair with little trouble and at a cost not worth mentioning—just moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time, this will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or any excessive oil—in a few moments you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of Dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. It's exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow abundantly long, strong and beautiful. It at once imparts a sparkling brilliancy and velvety softness to the hair, and a few weeks' use will cause new hair to sprout all over the scalp. Use it every day for a short time, after which two or three times a week will be sufficient to complete whatever growth you desire.

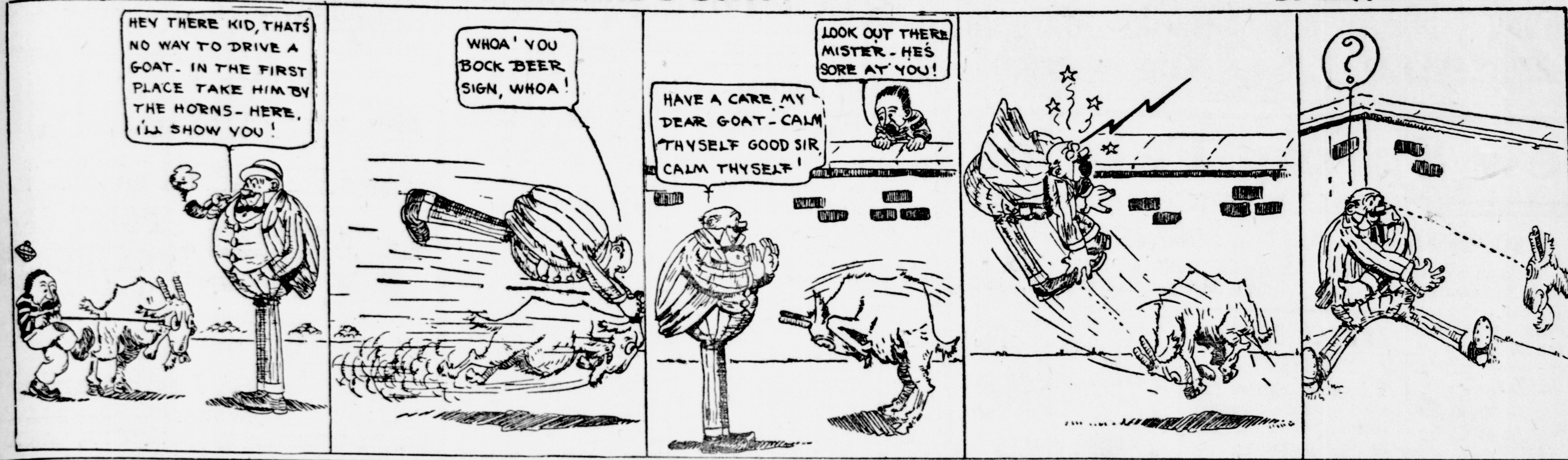
You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.





# SURE MIKE, BEN HAD THE KID'S GOAT!

BY HERRMANN



## Stocks Financial

## TRIBUNE WANT ADS BRING RESULTS

## Grain Produce

### HELP WANTED--M LE

WANTED--Married man about 35 or 40 years old, for night waiter at Schrank's Cafe. 2 27 3 4

GOOD PROPOSITION for right parties, male or female. Call at Imperial Dyers and Cleaners, 227 North Third street. 2 29 3 2

WANTED--Young man, 16 to 18, to work in office. Reliable Steam Laundry, 117-119 North Sixth St. 2 29 29

### HELP WANTED--FEMALE

GIRLS WANTED--Experienced loopers, over 16 years of age. Steady work guaranteed. Good wages. New machines. Chicago-Kenosha Hosiery Company, Kenosha, Wis. 2 24 3 29

WANTED--Girl for general housework, to go to Montana. Good wages. Good references required. Call evenings at 1619 King. 2 28 tf

WANTED--Apprentice girls at Lennon's, 410 Main street, millinery department. 2 28 3 1

WANTED--Girl at Henry and Frank's Restaurant, 118 North Third street. 2 28 tf

WANTED--Nurse girl, must stay nights. Apply Mrs. G. Smedal, 1420 Cass. 2 28 tf

WANTED--Competent girl at 423 South Fourteenth street. 2 27 29

WANTED--Girls in our knitting and yarn mills. La Crosse Knitting Works, 410 North Second. 2 24 3 1

WANTED--Girl at 710 Vine street. 2 24 tf

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE--Three passenger auto roadster, worth \$500. If sold at once will sacrifice for \$350. Fully equipped and in A 1 condition. Address Passenger, care of Tribune. 2 23 tf

FOR SALE--Cheap if taken at once, house and three lots, 1536 Denton. 2 23 29

FOR SALE--6 H. P. Perfection high speed single cylinder marine engine; reasonable price. Inquire 818 Adams street. 2 20 3 4

FOR SALE OR RENT--270 acre farm, 20 miles south of La Crosse. For full particulars address Wm. B. Monti, La Crosse, Wis. 2 15 tf

GOING TO BE SOLD before spring's work starts, a number one good farm, three miles from La Crosse, with good improvements, at the right price. FRANK G. ROTH REALTY CO. Majestic Building

FOR SALE--Bakery, good location; retail business. Reason for selling, poor health. Address Bakery, care of Tribune. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE--A bargain, one 5 room, two 4 room cottages, in southern part of city. Good chance for working man to own home and stop paying rent. One 600 foot lot on Winnebago street. Fine location for flats. Only vacant lot in block. Inquire at 1131 State. 2 29 3 2

FOR SALE--Kitchen range, 120 North Tenth. 2 29 3 2

FOR SALE--A good spring wagon, as good as new; also a set of medium harness, also a buggy and single harness. Call at 2105 King street. 2 29 3 2

FOR SALE OR TRADE--Choice 120 acre farm in southern Indiana. Cincinnati market; good improvement. New phone 1108-C. 2 29 3 2

FOR SALE--Property on southwest corner Seventh and Market streets. Inquire between 7 and 9 p. m. at 616 Market street. 2 27 tf

FOR SALE--Five room house, to be moved off of lot, 810 Caledonia street. Inquire at 812 Caledonia. 2 27 3 4

FOR SALE--Five room cottage, partly modern. Inquire 615 South Eighth. 2 26 3 1

FOR SALE--Barn, 1301 Market street can easily be converted into dwelling house. Inquire 1729 Jackson street. 2 28 3 1

### FOR SALE--Go-cart, in first class condition. 1012 State. 2 28 tf

FOR SALE--First class cigar store and billiard parlor. Address G. C. Tribune. 2 28 3 5

FOR SALE--Eight room house and lot, also one square piano. Inquire 912 Avon. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE--House and two lots near normal school. Convenient for keeping students. Good reasons for selling. Inquire 334 South 23rd street. 2 26 tf

FOR SALE--At a bargain on account of leaving city, a Kranich & Bach baby grand piano, as good as new. Call or address C. E. Green, 811 Rose street, city. 2 26 3 2

FOR SALE--Bicycle, cheap. Inquire 334 South 23rd. 3 26 tf

FOR SALE--House and lot, 137 South Twelfth. Inquire 131 South Third. 3 16 tf

FOR SALE--Attention! A used auto now being put in good condition at James' machine shop. Apply to the foreman, Ben Nottingham. 2 28 tf

FOR SALE--First class piano. Call 233 North Seventh street. 2 28 tf

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT--Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. First floor, 531 King. 2 12 29

FOR RENT--Furnished rooms, strictly modern. 125 South Tenth. 2 3 tf

### FOR RENT

Modern city heated second floor apartment at 1106 King street. Large, airy rooms, newly finished throughout. Must be seen to be appreciated. Inquire of HENRY N. BOEHM, Care of The Continental Clothing House.

FOR RENT--Suite of furnished rooms, with private bath and board. 222 South Eighth. 1 8 tf

FOR RENT--Offices in Reitzel building. C. W. Hunt, agent, 320 Main street.

FOR RENT--Furnished rooms, at 905 Main street. 2 27 29

FOR RENT--House and two lots, near normal school; convenient for keeping students. Inquire 334 South 23rd street. 2 26 tf

FOR RENT--Six room strictly modern house, corner Sixth and Vine street. No water rent. \$20.00 per month. J. H. Lightbody. 2 23 tf

WANTED--Renter for 80 acre farm. Good house, barn and water. I can furnish machinery if party wishes. Also more land. F. C. Warren, Valley Junction, Wis. 2 28 3 2

FOR RENT--Five rooms at 506 Farnam. 2 28 3 5

FOR RENT--Modern seven room house, 602 South Fourth street. New phone 732-C. 1 29 tf

FOR RENT--House, 812 Redfield. Inquire 1709 South Eighth street. 2 19 tf

FOR RENT--Pleasant room, modern. 130 North Seventh street. 2 29 tf

FOR RENT--Five room house at 1212 West avenue south. 2 29 3 2

FOR RENT--8 room house, 1108 Winnebago, \$14.00. 5 room, 1808 South Front, \$5.00. 7 room, 1812 South Front, \$9.00. Phone 1279-C. 2 29 3 2

FOR RENT--Modern single rooms and two nice rooms for light housekeeping. Inquire 149 So. 6th. 2 16 tf

FOR RENT--Furnished flat, modern. 714 Cass. 2 24 tf

### MISCELLANEOUS

MAJESTIC STUDIO--W. J. Fitzpatrick. 2 6 3 5

WANTED--Automobiles, carriages, wagons to paint. The old reliable painter, Jeff Gibbons, at new Law Auto Garage, Fifth and State.

PIANO TUNING--A. Ruhoff, both phones. 2 21 tf

### WANTED--A good steady position, either as salesman or general office work. Experienced in both. Best references. Address P. care of Tribune. 2 28 29

WANTED--Position in an office by a lady; high school and business education; experienced. References furnished. Box 44, Leon, Wis. 2 28 3 1

WANTED TO RENT--Any time after March 15, a modern 6 or 7 room house (cottage preferred). State what you have with price and address Vassar, this office. 2 28 tf

SPECIAL--Wanted--Again 500 cast off suits, etc. Again will pay \$5.00 up. Must be in good condition. Best attention. A. Pollock, City. 2 27 3 1

GASOLINE WOOD SAWING. Frank Bendel. Old phone 4872, new phone 1207-C. 2 5 tf

CHIMNEY and furnace cleaners. Call new phone 401; old 353. 2 21 27

DR. EHLERT--Skin diseases and diseases of men. 427 Main. 2 1 tf

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

FOR WOMEN--We wish to announce we will mail to you absolutely free of charge the wonderful book "Abendroth," dedicated to women and health. The book should be in every home for reference. It is beautifully designed, illustrated, and contains valuable information on how to get well and keep in perfect health, which every woman will appreciate and should know. Dr. Franz, Abendroth, Room 18, 3517 Indiana Ave., Chicago, Ill. 2 23 29

D. B. PHELPS, Notary Public, 1316 Farnam street. 2 23 1

LIESENFELD'S GASOLINE WOOD SAWING--New phone 1247M. 10 24 tf

### Public Stenography

TYPEWRITING, copying, stenography, multiple letters, addressing, by experts. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth street, (opposite La Crosse club). 5 3 tf

### Financial

LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 322 Main street, upstairs.

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION loans on real estate. Ten dollars a month pays \$1,000.00 in 149 months; \$12 a month, in 114 months. 11 6 tf

### Real Estate

FOR RENT 5 room flat, 329 South Third street. 4. 15.00

A well equipped carpenter shop, centrally located.

Six room house, 409 South Third street. 15.00

Four room flat, ground floor, 329 South Third street.

FOR SALE 5 acres in city limits, improved; modern residence and all other buildings. Call at office.

A very fine residence on West avenue south, fully modern, 165x145 corner building on inside lot. Easy terms. Call at office.

1 1/2 story 9 room frame house, with two lots; city water in lot, 1418 Denton street. All in first-class condition.

Lot 92x150 feet, northwest corner Madison and Nineteenth street, at a bargain.

### C. F. KLEIN,

General Insurance, Bonds, Loans, Notary Public.

Architects, Superintendents

ANDREW ROTH--Successor to Schick & Roth, Architect and superintendent, La Crosse, Wis.

### Dentist

DR. A. T. RASMUSSEN, Rooms 210-211 Linker Bldg., Fourth & Main. Office hours 9 to 12 and 1:30 to 5.

### Funeral Directors

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main. Phones 286. Open day and night.

### Lost

LOST--A man's black cloth coat, between French Island and La Crosse. Notify Mrs. Mc Coy, R. F. D. No. 3, French Island. 2 28 tf

LOST--"Progress and the Reflector" receipt book. Return to Hotel Law. 2 27 29

LOST--Bull terrier pup, black, white breast and feet. Reward if returned. 131 South Sixteenth St. New phone 715-C. 2 24 3 1

Private Detective Agency E. R. VAN DORN'S Private Detective Agency. Reliable men furnished for all kinds of detective and private police work. All business strictly confidential. Terms reasonable. New phone 1204-C.

### THE DAILY MARKETS

### EGGS LOWER ON WHOLESALE MARKET

A drop of 2c over former prices was noted in quotations on eggs on the wholesale market today, firsts being quoted at 26c and seconds at 23c. Creamery butter showed a slight increase over yesterday's quotations while dairy remains steady.

### Fruit

(Quoted by John C. Burns.) Apples, Colo. Grano, per box \$2.00 Grape fruit, 54-64 \$6.00 Grapes, Almeria, per bbl. \$4.50-5.00 Oranges, Cal., 150-175-200-216 \$3.25 Cranberries, per bl. \$3.50 Lemons, 300-360 box \$3.50 to \$6.50 Bananas, bunch \$1.25 to \$1.75 Walnut dates, box \$1.20 Apples, Ben Davis, bbl. \$3.25 Baldwin, per bl. \$3.50 to \$3.75 Russets, per bbl. \$3.50 to \$3.75 Jonathans, per bbl. \$4.00 to \$4.25 Persian dates, per pound \$6.25 California celery \$7.50 to 9.00 Oysters, standards, gal. \$1.60 Oysters, can select \$1.40 Oysters, select, gal. \$1.80 Onions, brown, per hundred \$3.00 Onions, yellow and red per 100 \$3.00

### Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.) Creamery butter, lb. \$2.29 to 3.00 Dairy butter, lb. \$2.23 to 2.40 Eggs, fresh, dozen \$2.60 Eggs, (seconds, dozen \$2.30

### Livestock

(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.) Hogs \$5.25 to \$5.70 Cows \$2.00 to \$3.50 Heifers \$2.50 to \$4.00 Lambs \$4.00 to \$5.00 Steers \$2.00 to \$3.50 Sheep \$3.50 to \$4.50

### Poultry

Spring chickens .90c Old Chickens .80c Turkeys, pound .12 to .14c Ducks, pound .11c Geese, pound .90c

### Provisions

Lard, per pound .10 1/4 to 10 3/4 Shoulders, per pound .10c Hams, per pound .13 1/2c Bacon, per pound .12 1/2 to 13c Dry beef, per pound .17 to 19c

### Grain

Barley .70 to \$1.15 Corn, new .50c to 57c Oats .43 to 47c Wheat .80 to 90c Rye .75 to 80c

### Flour and Feed

(Quoted by the Listman Milling Co.) Patent, barrel \$5.50 Straight, barrel \$5.30

### Mill Feed

(Prices do not include sacks) Bran, per ton \$27.00 Shorts \$28.00 White middlings, per ton \$31.00 Red Dog \$32.00

### Hay and Wood

(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.) Hay, wild, per ton \$12.00 to \$14.00 Hay, tame, per ton \$17.00 to \$18.00 Wood, per cord \$5.50 to \$5.75

### Cheese

(Quoted by Hy. Andereg) Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in cases .17 1/2c Fancy full Cream Brick Cheese, in half cases .18c Fancy full Cream Twins Cheese .18c Fancy full Cream Daries Cheese .18 1/2c Fancy full Cream Limburger .17c Fancy full Cream Swiss, round .20c Fancy full Cream Swiss Block .19c German Hand Cheese, per box .90c Prim ost, per pound .6 to 8c

### FOREIGN MARKETS

#### New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.--The stock market opened heavy today, many stocks showing fractional declines from last night's close. 11 a. m.--After the initial trading, a steady tone prevailed, prices moving within a narrow range. Governments unchanged; other bonds steady.

Noon--Lack of demand in the late forenoon caused slight recessions in prices. The stock market closed steady.

#### New York Money

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.--Money on call 2 1/2 per cent. Time money 3 1/4 per cent for six months. Bar silver: London 27d.; New York 58 1/2c. Demand sterling 487.10 @ 487.15

#### Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 29.--Cattle--Receipts 6,000; market steady to 10c lower; steers \$5.75 to \$8.40; cows and heifers \$3.00 to \$6.50; stockers and feeders \$4.25 to \$6.25; calves \$4.50 to \$8.00. Hogs--Receipts 11,000; market 5c lower; bulk \$6.10 to \$6.30; heavy \$6.25 to \$6.35; medium \$6.15 to \$6.35; light \$5.90 to \$6.25. Sheep--Receipts 10,000; market steady; lambs \$5.00 to \$6.50; ewes \$2.75 to \$4.25; wethers and yearlings \$4.00 to \$5.60.

#### Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley 70c to \$1.25. Minneapolis flax \$2.01 1/2. Chicago barley \$1.00 to \$1.30. Duluth flax \$2.01 1/2.

#### Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.--Hogs--Receipts 41,000; market dull to 10c lower; mixed and butchers \$6.15 to \$6.45; good heavy \$6.15 to \$6.45; rough heavy \$6.15 to \$6.25; light \$6.15 to \$6.45; pigs \$4.60 to \$6.25. Cattle--Receipts 9,000; market slow, 10 to 15c lower; heaves \$4.90 to \$5.60; cows and heifers \$2.15 to \$6.65; stockers and feeders \$4.00 to \$6.20; Texans \$4.60 to \$5.90; calves \$4.60 to \$5.90.

#### Chicago Grain Letter

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.--Reports containing surprising figures of small farm reserves of all grains caused a continuation of yesterday's sharp advance in all grain prices. A wave of buying orders swept the market early today and support continued strong throughout the session. Cable reports of lower estimates on the Argentine crop increased the bull movement and prices reached new high levels.

Corn futures also went to new high levels on the figures of short farm reserves gained through private sources. A profit-taking movement in corn, Saturday early in the day failed to check the upward movement of prices. All offerings were eagerly snapped up.

Oats trade was strong and also reached new levels in the May product. The cash demand was firmer than for a week and profit taking in these lines also failed to affect the upward tendency.

The provision trade opened weak.

### Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.--Butter--Extras 28c; firsts 26c; dairy extras 26c; firsts 24c. Eggs--Prime firsts 26 1/2 to 27c; firsts 23 to 24c. Cheese--Twins 16 1/2 to 17c; Young Americas 17 1/2 to 17 3/4c. Potatoes--\$1.05 to \$1.10. Live Poultry--Fowls 15 to 15 1/2c; spring chicks 15 1/2 to 16c; ducks 15 to 16c; geese 10 to 11c; turkeys 13 to 13 1/2c.

### Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.--Wheat--No. 2 red \$1.01 1/2 to \$1.02 1/2; No. 3 red 99 1/2 to \$1.01 1/2; No. 2 hard \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.05; No. 3 hard \$1.00 1/2 to \$1.02; No. 3 spring 99c to \$1.07. Corn--No. 2 white 68c; No. 3, 64 3/4 to 65 1/2c; No. 3 white 63 to 66c; No. 3 yellow 63 1/2 to 65 3/4c; No. 4, 60 1/2 to 62 1/2c; No. 4 white 61 1/2 to 62 1/2c; No. 4 yellow 61 3/4 to 63c. Oats--No. 3 white 52 to 53c; No. 4 white 47 to 52c; standard 52 3/4 to 53 1/2c.

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### but substantial recoveries were made shortly after the opening in all lines. A good demand developed in the face of lower prices for hogs at the yards.

Open. High. Low. Close.

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### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

State of Wisconsin--In Probate --La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Magnus Nelson, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased.

Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Helmer Nelson, of La Crosse, Wis., notice is hereby given that six months after the 28th day of February, A. D. 1912, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1912.



# DOERFLINGER'S

## New Spring Fabrics

SPECIALLY PRICED

### BLACK MESSALINE

That black pure lustrous quality so much in demand for spring waists and dresses. Come full yard wide. Also full 36 inch wide chiffon black taffeta. Both unusual quality, at per yard ..... **98c**

### DRESS GINGHAMS

Choice of 100 full new pieces, in best 1912 dress gingham, showing fashionable plaids, checks, etc. Sells regularly at 12½¢, on sale, special per yard only ..... **10c**

### Madras Waistings

Elegant grade double-fold madras waistings, pure white grounds with neat dots, stripes and checks. Quality specially adaptable for waists, boys' blouses, etc. Worth 25¢, special Friday ..... **19c**

### NEW PERCALES

Choice brand new 36 inch wide indigo blue percales. All new, just received, best quality Turkey red, grey and black. Regular 12½¢ and 15¢ grades. Right off full pieces, at ..... **10c**

### CORDED PIQUES

One of fashion's favorite suit materials for spring, beautiful heavy corded piques in navies, tans, white, lavender and light blues. Worth 35¢. Choice Friday per yard ..... **25c**

### LINEN SUITINGS

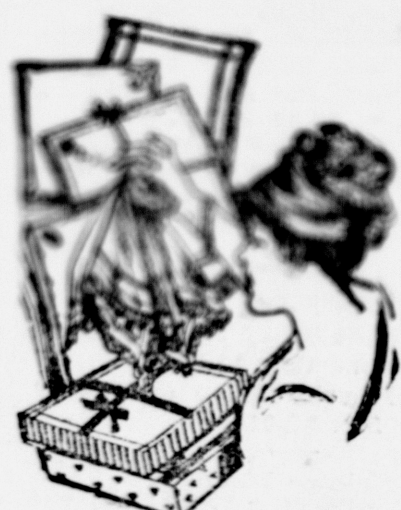
Pure linen suitings, an exceptional quality, in the natural colors, which stands in high favor this spring. This grade comes full yard wide, is fine and firmly woven and well worth 35¢; on sale Friday, special ..... **25c**

### FRENCH COTTON VOILES

Fine grade chiffon finish genuine French cotton voiles, in the latest patterns for spring, showing a great variety of the most popular white grounds in different size black stripe effects, as well as the neat pink, blue and green checked effects and broken checks in small patterns. Choice lot of 100 brand new pieces, worth up to 35¢, Friday only, at ..... **25c**

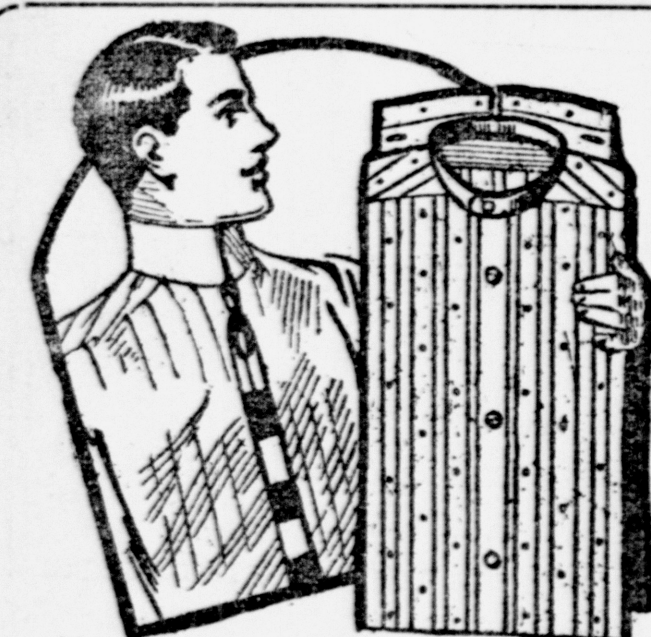
## FRIDAY SALE OF HANDKERCHIEFS

An immense special lot of several hundred men's and women's first grade handkerchiefs, including women's genuine imported hand embroidered handkerchiefs; also women's handkerchiefs, beautifully trimmed in lace. Men's handkerchiefs, without limit, including a large special lot hemstitched with satin border effects. Also plain hemstitched handkerchiefs. Not one in this whole assortment is worth less than 10¢. On sale special Friday, choice ..... **5c**



## \$2.00 Fashionable New Spring Taffeta and Messaline Petticoats

There are just 80 altogether brand new, excellent quality chiffon taffeta and messaline petticoats, in four of the most fashionable models for spring. Some are made with sectional flounces of tucks and cording, some have 14 inch knife pleated and fancy stamped, others are made plain with a small flounce composed of tucks, without underlay—a style which readily conforms to the close fit demanded by the more narrow fashionable skirts. Every one a genuine \$2.00 value; extra special ..... **\$1.69**



### Men's \$1 and \$1.50 Shirts

Large assortment, strictly high grade in every respect, showing unlimited fashionable light patterns in figured and striped effects. Such standard makes as "Gold," which always sells at \$1.50, "Silver" brand and "Ferguson Mackinney," two well known \$1.00 makes. Coat styles, cuffs attached or detached, Friday and Saturday, not more than 2 to a customer, choice ..... **79c**

It's a wonder some people don't get tired carrying around their good opinions of themselves.

A man's idea of perpetual youth is to always feel young; a woman's is to always look young.

Many a girl is an old maid simply because she could never find a suitor to suit her.

## SPORTING NEWS

### "Y" AND NORMAL TO MEET FRIDAY

To Use Intercollegiate Rules in Game; Is New Department for La Crosse; Game Fast

A game which will be of great interest to local basketball enthusiasts is scheduled for Friday evening at the normal school gymnasium when the Y. M. C. A. and the normal school quintets meet in a battle for supremacy. One of the features of this contest will be that intercollegiate rules will be used in order to accustom each team to that style of play, as the normal team has to play the Milwaukee normals who play under these rules at all times.

The game between these two local teams will undoubtedly be an interesting and hard fought battle for both sides are fast and each is determined to down its opponent. As each team has been playing a star game all season the winner of this contest will certainly have to play a superior article of basketball.

Basketball under intercollegiate rules will be a new departure for this city as the teams have never before used these rules. Although they differ in some particulars from the interscholastic rules the game is just as interesting and fast playing as possible at all stages of the game. The normal school wishes to become accustomed to these rules before they play Milwaukee as that team employs the intercollegiate style of play all the time and as the locals expect to win that game it was decided to try the new rules.

The Y. M. C. A. team has been putting up a great game this year and they have lost but three games all year in spite of the fact that they have played all but one game away from home. Their playing has been such that few teams can compare with them as their work is fast and aggressive throughout. Their team work is of the best, every man on the team is reliable on the offense, and the defensive work shown has been such that their opponents have been unable to do much scoring against them. With the same lineup that they have used all season the Y. M. C. A. is confident of victory as they believe that they outclass their opponents although they realize that they have a good team to play.

The normal school quintet is just as confident of victory and they expect to down the Y. M. C. A. team. The normal team has been playing an excellent game thus far and if they continue to play tomorrow as they have in the past there is no doubt but that the game will be a close and interesting one.

The teams will lineup as follows: Normal school—Forwards, Captain Dahl and Bonnevillie; center, Hyde; guards, Byers and Glasbrenner. Y. M. C. A.—Forwards, Rand and Captain Peterson; center, Bedessem; guards, Evans and Melner.

### TWO BIG MAT BOUTS

DETROIT, Feb. 29.—A quartet of well known mat artists will appear at Light Guard armory tonight when Zbyszko meets Herman Koch and Dr. Roller wrestles Yankee Rogers. Both are finish matches. The winner of tonight's bout between Zbyszko and Koch will meet the winner of the Mahmut match in Chicago and will be in line for a match with Champion Gotch.

### PLAYERS HIKE

WEST BADEN, Ind., Feb. 29.—With the St. Louis Browns and the Philadelphia Nationals now here, West Baden has been completely converted into a baseball camp. Manager Doolin and President Fogel are claiming the pennant for the Phillies. The chief work of the players here for the next few weeks will be drinking water and hiking over the hills.

### SEES BOSTON VICTORY

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Feb. 29.—Expressing greatest confidence in Johnny Kling's ability as a manager, James E. Gaffney, one of the owners of the Boston National club, today declared that the Bean Eaters would be in the race from the start this year. Kling will train his men at Augusta.

### NAPS TO MOBILE

CLEVELAND, Feb. 29.—Manager Harry Davis and the Nap players forming a crowd of twenty-one, left at noon today for Mobile, Ala., for three weeks' training before opening the Cleveland baseball campaign. Until train time, it was doubtful that Gene Krapp would make the trip as he was holding out for an increase.

### CHICAGO TO MEET IOWA

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Arrangements have been completed for a football game between the teams of Chicago university and the University of Iowa to take place on Marshall field October 16.

Half the people believe that if worry killed they would have been dead long ago.

### MARQUETTE MAN OUT FOR TRIALS

Student who Took Third in Leap at London Games Out to Make Stockholm Team

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Feb. 29.—John J. Brennan, the Marquette university student who took third place in the broad jump at the last Olympic games in London, has again started training for the trials to be held in Chicago early in June. Besides entering the broad jump contest, Brennan has entered in the hop-step-and-jump and the discus, and with a record of 132 feet in the latter made in the exhibition games in Ireland last summer, has an excellent chance for landing a place in this event.

Although Brennan has an enviable record in the high jump, having beaten the Irish champion, Con Leahy, in the exhibition games in Ireland which followed the Olympic games, he will not again enter this event, as his knee, which he hurt in the first games, is still weak and would probably give out under such a heavy strain.

The American Olympic team will charter a private ship this year, and the authorities have decided to anchor the boat in the Bay of Cay, outside of Stockholm and use it as their hotel and training quarters.

### M'INTOSH WANTS FLYNN SUSPENDED

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Secretary Charles J. Harvey of the state athletic commission today sent a letter to Hugh McIntosh, the Australian promoter, notifying him that the play had no jurisdiction over Jim Flynn, the Colorado heavy. McIntosh evidently believing that the New York commission had jurisdiction all over the United States, asked to have Flynn suspended because he broke a contract to meet Sam Langford in Sydney, N. S. W.

### A. B. C. TOURNEY SCHEDULE PUBLIC

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—The schedule book containing the names and time for playing of 4,000 bowlers in the American Bowling Congress was issued today. After the opening preliminaries have been disposed of Saturday and Sunday nights, the schedule requires the bowlers to rush through their games. For nearly three weeks championship contests will be in progress at Dexter position from early morning until after midnight.

### K. O. SHOWS POORLY

NEW YORK, Feb. 29.—Although Knockout Brown is credited with a decision over Young Fitzsimmons today, those who attended last night's bout at the Longacre A. A. agree that the German did not add much to his fighting laurels as Brown's punches lacked steam. Young Fitzsimmons did not land more than four or five good blows, contenting himself with blocking his opponent, yet he managed to stay the limit. The crowd was much disappointed by K. O. Brown's performance.

### ASKS MONEY FOR GAMES

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Everett C. Brown, president of the Central A. A. U. today issued an appeal for subscriptions to the fund to send the American athletes to Stockholm this summer to compete in the Olympic games. "We expect to raise at least \$20,000 in the middle west," said Brown. "The trip for the entire squad of athletes will be between \$50,000 and \$60,000. The east will probably raise the larger portion of this."

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### ASKS A SECOND BOUT WITH MILLER

Jack Little, the Milwaukee wrestler, wants another chance to meet Walter Miller, the St. Paul champion, and although J. P. Moore, who promoted the recent match here between these two men, has written Miller in regard to another bout he has received no word from the Twin Cities.

Little is desirous of getting another match with the champion as he was thrown from the stage in the last match and was unable to continue. For this reason he wants to meet Miller again in a finish match to determine who the best man is. Miller does not appear to be over anxious to meet the Milwaukee man again as he has not answered Mr. Moore's letter and local fans are of the opinion that the champion would have a hard time beating Little who showed considerable skill here.

### EGAN CHALLENGES YOUNG SAMPSON

Young Egan, a local wrestler, has issued a challenge to Young Sampson, North side wrestler, for a finish match to be held in this city soon. Both these men are well known here, as each one has been in numerous bouts and has made a good showing, so when the two local men meet an interesting match will undoubtedly ensue. As Sampson is conceded to be one of the best local wrestlers, Young Egan, who has been doing great work, is desirous of meeting him in order to determine which is the better man. Arrangements for the match have not been made as yet, but it is probable that the bout will take place in the near future.

### ISSUES PERMIT UNDER PROTEST

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—"Issued because the council does not give me the power to refuse it." This is the notation made by Mayor Harrison on the formal permit granted for the holding of a wrestling bout between Yusuf Mahmut and Jess Pedersen by the New Empire Athletic club tomorrow night. The mayor explained that had he the authority, he would close the club out of all amusement undertakings here because of the action of the organization "in permitting the Gotch-Hack match on Labor Day when it was well known by the club that one of the principals was totally unfit to go on."

### CUB RECRUIT REPORTS

CHICAGO, Feb. 29.—Charles Moore, infielder recruited from the Los Angeles Pacific coast team, arrived here from Portland, Ore., today, the first of the Cub youngsters to report for the spring trip to the southland. Moore, it is said, "looks enough like Frank Schulte to be his brother," is a slugger and was one of the fastest men on bases in the coast league last year.

### WHITE BEATS DIXON

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 29.—Charles White of Chicago, shaded Tommy Dixon of Kansas City last night in one of the fastest eight round bouts seen at the Windsor Athletic club in some time. He out boxed Dixon in all but the first two periods.



Big Circus Scene in "Polly of the Circus," La Crosse Theater Saturday, March 2, matinee and night